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## AROUND the TOWNSHIP

Just in case everyone hasn't been reminded of this fact, we want to say that every one of us should be thankful at this Thanksgiving time that we live in America which still remains the land of the free.

Of course we will add that we need only to cast our eyes toward Europe for the emphasis of this all enveloping fact.

(In case you haven't thought of it—a fact is a truth that needs no proving.)

The Welfare Club has some thing there.

In our opinion, the coordination of all agencies administering cheer and aid to the need during the holiday time is a absolute necessity. Too often, unknowingly of course, some deserving and needy persons are overlooked while other really have an over abundance for a day or two.

Proper supervision in this worthy service is needed just as much as in the distribution of a commodity or relief.

It was a big night in Newark at the Scout Court of Honor when 32 boys were actually started on the road to permanent membership in the organization, having been tried and tested, and the benefits they will receive therefrom.

The older Scouts were justly rewarded for service well done, too, which furnished an inspiration to the beginners.

All in all, the occasion marked a Red Letter Day for Scouting in Washington Township.

When a meteorograph falls from the sky and hits a horse the whole world knows about it—especially when it's the government that could possibly be held for damages.

Even though the story that was broadcasted was erroneous in some details, Niles cashed in on the publicity.

Roy Rose, who found the meteorograph which started the business, still is waiting for his reward. Is it possible the Chamber of Commerce may scare up a bonus for him in exchange for the publicity received?

### WHIST IS BENEFIT FOR SCOUT TROOP

NEWARK—A whist party for the benefit of the new Boy Scout troop of Newark will be given at the Grammar School on Dec. 8. The public is invited. Members of the troop committee, headed by J. R. Truscott, chairman, will have charge.

### GUILD MEMBERS DEMONSTRATE HOBBY CRAFTS FOLLOWED

NILES—The Arts and Crafts Guild of Washington Township met last week at the Old Adobe at the California Nursery Company where it was organized about four years ago. Demonstrations of hobby crafts were made and arrangements for the annual Christmas party to be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Shinn in December were discussed. Miss Anna Milcent Shinn will assist with the program.

The program last week was arranged by the bachelors of the group, Kenneth Whan, Leslie Lowry, Donald Spetti and Jolly Batchelor, chairman. Special decorations of Fall berries, fruits and candles were by Mrs. George C. Roeding, Jr.

The program included demonstrations of cooper work taught in the Washington Union High School and shown by Kenneth Whan and Leslie Lowry; block printing by Mrs. Dora Scudder; leather tooling by Jolly Batchelor; clay work by Ethel Grau, Donald Spetti and George Sladek and accordion numbers by Spetti.

## Suggest Council to Eliminate Any Cheer Duplication

CENTERVILLE — Elimination of over-lapping of Christmas activities by civic, fraternal and social organizations engaged in welfare work for the holidays is sought in a social service council suggested by the Welfare Club at its meeting this week.

Mrs. W. L. McWhirter, chairman, has appointed a committee which will meet with representatives of other organizations to work out details of a plan whereby all needy families in the township will be reached but over-lapping will be avoided.

"We do not in any way wish to interfere with anything that any other organization is doing", said Mrs. McWhirter, "but we believe that by co-ordinating our efforts we can bring Christmas cheer to everyone without having some families receive gifts from several different organizations while others go without anything at all."

It is hoped that other organizations will contact the clearing house committee which starts with representation from the Welfare Club and will eventually include members of all other organizations in the township.

Those appointed by Mrs. McWhirter to represent the Welfare Club are Mrs. Henri Salz, Mrs. Howard Chadbourne, Mrs. George Coit, Mrs. Frank T. Dusterberry and Mrs. McWhirter.

"A clearing house for Christmas Cheer" is the motive of the council, according to Mrs. McWhirter.

### EAGLES PLAN CHRISTMAS EVENT

ALVARADO — Arrangements for the annual Christmas party of the Alvarado Eagles were made at a meeting Monday night. President Vernon Rose appointed the following committee to make arrangements: Joe E. Lewis, Joe S. Martin, Lloyd Russel, A. E. Vargas and Antone Lawrence.

## Welfare Club To Play Santa Claus To Many Children

CENTERVILLE—Christmas gifts for 155 children in Southern Alameda County will be prepared by the Welfare Club, according to arrangements made at a meeting at the home of Mrs. Allen G. Norris on Monday. Mrs. T. N. Alexander was joint hostess.

As is customary the club will buy gifts for the children residing in foster homes in Washington Township, about 45 in number this year. Approximately 50 toys donated by the Home Workshop Guild will be included in the gift packages.

The club will also wrap gifts bought by the Hayward area for children in that section, about 36 in all.

This year, for the first time, the club will also wrap gifts for about 75 children of families on State or County relief, these to be bought by the Children's Department of the Washington Township Welfare Board. Each child will receive a toy and candy. The Hayward children will receive clothes and toys and the township children will receive both clothing and toys. The members of the club have made bathrobes and dresses for each of the township children.

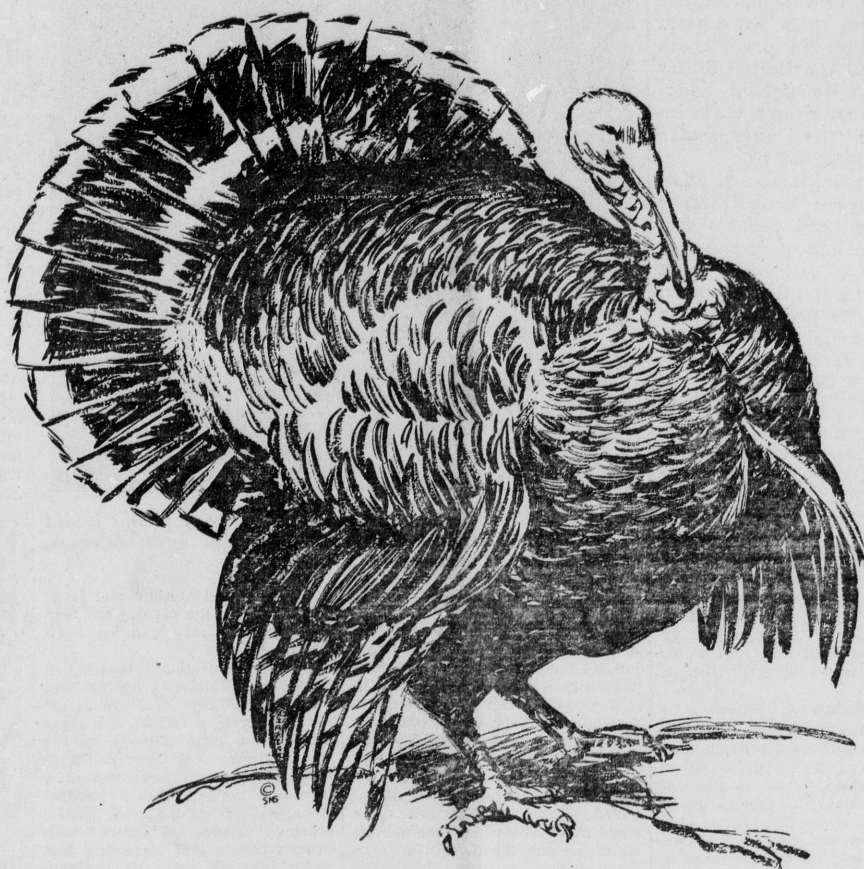
These gifts will be wrapped at a meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. C. E. Martenstein on Dec. 15, with Mrs. Anna Sladek as joint hostess, according to Mrs. W. L. McWhirter, president. The following were appointed to buy gifts: Mrs. George Bonde, Mrs. T. N. Alexander, Mrs. George Holeman, Mrs. A. J. Petsche and Mrs. Allen G. Norris.

### MASS AT 11:30 IN WINTER

Corpus Christi Church Niles: Masses every Sunday at 8:30 and 11:30. Decoto: Mass at 10 (2nd Sun. of Month at Decoto mass at 8:30).

(adv.)

## Thanksgiving



## Sugar Beet Growers Allotted Acreage For Next Year Crop

HAYWARD — Southern Alameda County sugar beet growers have been allotted approximately 6,000 acres for the 1939 crop it was announced this week by S. E. Smith, County Agricultural Conservation secretary.

The acreage will be distributed among more than 125 producers, who have until December 5 to sign contracts with sugar company representatives.

Alameda County beet producers receive 1939 allotments on the basis of their past sugar beet history and their ability to produce a 1939 sugar beet crop. They must also meet agricultural practices and comply with wage rate requirements to obtain benefit payments.

Requests for acreage and appeals are handled by the Northern California growers' review committee, which includes H. W. Young and J. R. Fry, of Hayward; F. L. Shanks, Hamilton City; P. W. Reiff, Woodland; C. B. Totman, Rio Vista; A. J. Greer, Davis; I. V. Craven, Walnut Grove; C. E. Culver, King City; V. C. Britton, Firebaugh; J. C. Marshall, Clarksburg; Herbert Merwin, Clarksburg.

### PYTHIAN DEGREE IS CONFERRED

CENTERVILLE—Three esquires received the degree of knight at a meeting of the Centerville lodge of the Knights of Pythias at a meeting on November 10. Delegates were present from Oakland, Palo Alto and San Jose and a banquet followed the meeting. Chancellor Commander Leonard Whitbeck had charge.

A committee composed of Frank Oldfield, Harley Justus and Kenneth Tinkham are making plans for a box social to be held early in December to raise money for a party for the children.

### CHRISTMAS SHOW GIVEN AT SCHOOL

CENTERVILLE — The Shell Oil Christmas Truck visited the Centerville Grammar School on Monday afternoon, Al Monese, local representative, having charge. A half hour of free entertainment was given and boxes of candy were distributed.

## Dead Horse Story Brings Publicity In Wake Of Find

NILES—The "dead horse" story which began when San Francisco newspapers ran a distorted version of a report of a meteorograph being found on a "dead horse", indicating that the instrument had killed said animal has brought the town more publicity than any single civic undertaking recorded this year.

The International News Service dispatches in Washington, D. C., resulted in a telegram being sent from C. C. Clark, acting chief of the U. S. Weather Bureau at Washington to the Oakland office asking for full details.

John A. Riley, meteorologist in charge of the Oakland office made a second trip to Niles and secured a signed statement from Antone Garcia, owner of the deceased quadruped, freeing the government of all damages.

"Mr. Garcia is an honest man," said Riley while in Niles.

Besides, how could a two-pound instrument enclosed in a pasteboard box, descending slowly on a parachute possibly kill a horse and if the instrument had been responsible for the death of the horse it would not have fallen "on a dead horse" but "upon a live horse."

### DINNER AND WHIST MOVED UP TO DEC. 1

IRVINGTON—The night meeting of the Irvington P. T. A. formerly announced for Dec. 10, has been set forward to Dec. 1. The affair which is being given for the benefit of a Christmas party for Irvington children will begin with a dinner for P. T. A. members at 7 o'clock. A whist party will follow, to which all friends of the organization are invited.

Representing the unit at the recent council meeting at Livermore were Mrs. Robert Mayock, Mrs. Lee Williams, Mrs. J. R. Silveria, Mrs. George Scammon and Mrs. Raymond Benbow.

### PETALUMA MAN BUYS RESTAURANT

CENTERVILLE—C. L. Boltz of Petaluma purchased the Black N White Restaurant from A. N. Silva. Boltz formerly was engaged in the baby chick business at Petaluma.

## Case Of Theft In Court Involves How Hog Ranch Is Run

NILES — A detailed description of just how a hog ranch is run came out in the Niles Justice Court last Friday afternoon when Attilio Bandoni of 420 N. 11th st., San Jose was being cross-examined after charging Antone J. Harvey with stealing 100 pigs valued at \$1,000 from his Milpitas hog ranch.

In fact, the detailed description of how much a pig weighs, how its ears are slit, how long it feeds on the garbage dumps, etc., etc., proved so soporific that loud snores were heard at one time from the spectators' section of the court room.

And—because some of the witnesses were not present, the "hog tale" will be continued on Dec. 2. Baldoni testified that he had been missing 15 or 16 pigs at a time over a space of months. Under cross-examination he testified that William Borges had told him Harvey had left two pigs at his ranch and Bandoni said he visited the Borges ranch and recognized his pigs although their ears had been cut off, a slit in the ear being his way of identifying his pigs.

When pressed for an answer as to whether the two sows were worth \$10 or \$16 each on the grounds that he was an expert, Bandoni said "I'm no expert or I wouldn't be in the hog business."

Deputy Sheriff Grover Mull testified that the slough which is the boundary of Bandoni's hog farm is also the boundary line between Alameda and Santa Clara counties, local authorities having jurisdiction for 500 feet beyond the county boundary. Felton Watson of Oakland represents the defendant.

### CORNHUSKERS AGAIN CHAMPIONS OF S. C. V. A. L. IN FOOTBALL

CENTERVILLE — The Washington Union High School is once more for the second successive year the champion of the Santa Clara Valley Athletic League so far as football is concerned.

The Cornhuskers carried off a winning score of 33-0 when they met the Campbell team at Centerville Friday afternoon. Boyce made 3 of the touchdowns and Ahm and Mello, one each.

## Newark Troop Receives Charter; Large Number of Awards Are Made at Scout Court of Honor

NEWARK—Thirty-two tenderfoot scouts, the largest class ever invested in at one time in Washington Township, and 19 of them from the new troop at Newark, were given awards at a court of honor held at the Newark Grammar School last Thursday night.

Fifteen second-class awards, three first class and eight merit badges were also presented. Sixteen other miscellaneous awards were made.

The program opened with Judge Allen G. Norris presiding and skits were given by the Newark troop. Opening exercises were by the Centerville troop, the investiture service by Irvington and

the closing ceremonies by the Niles troop.

Scouters participating in addition to Judge Norris, chairman of the Washington Township District were John Lee Wilbur, division chairman; Guy Harts, division commissioner; W. T. Lindsay, field executive, members of the Newark committee, George Coit, court of honor chairman, James Nunes, Peter Decoto, L. W. Musick, Jack Prouty, Lawrence Pine, George Scammon, Lewis Lewis and Lawrence Sharpe.

The charter to the Newark troop was presented by Wilbur and received by S. G. Scott of the Newark Boosters Club. Certificates were presented to the Newark committee consisting of Scoutmaster Robert Stover, J. R. Truscott, chairman, Richard Texeira, assistant scoutmaster, V. Tuchen, S. G. Scott, Jack MacGregor, Jack Keugemann, George Kuhns and W. T. Lowe.

Announcement of the district rally to be held at the high school on Dec. 5, was made by Jack Prouty, chairman.

Those receiving awards were as follows:

Tenderfoot—Newark, Ranguel Ewer, Richard Tuchen, Paul M. Kouns, Anthony Lemas, George Marshall, Calvin Oliveira, Ray Pierce, John Rice, Ernest Tremblay, Robert Tremblay, John R. Truscott, Elton S. McNulty, Walter Texeira, Bob Manley, Ronald Barton, Grover Taylor, Leonard Laudenschlager, Richard Laudenschlager, Earl Ewer, Irvington, William Harold and Mack Stearns, Kenneth Perry and George Ohye; Niles, Tom Bunting, Seraphine Lucas, David Barker, John Pereira and Jack Myrick; Decoto, Albert Andrade; Centerville, George Holeman and Gilbert DeBorja.

Second class—Harold and Mack Stearns of Irvington; Glen Kerns of Niles; Ranguel Ewer, Richard Tuchen, Paul M. Kouns, Anthony Lemas, George Marshall, Calvin Oliveira, Ray Pierce, John Rice, Ernest and Robert Tremblay and J. R. Truscott of Newark.

First class—Albert George of Irvington and Ed Kugemann and Max L. O'Starr of Newark.

Merit badges were given to Albert George, Robert Hunt, Jr., of Irvington; Bob Zwissig, Danny Mannix, Willis Myrick and Weldon Pine of Niles and Scoutmaster Robert T. Stover for marksman-ship.

Service awards were given to Andrew Lindsay, Kenneth Calhoun and Jack Kimber first year; Francis Rose, two year; Howard Alves, Roland Bendel, Louis Havesy, Willis Myrick, Danny Mannix, Tom Parry and John Fong, three year, all of Niles; Oliver Benbow, Mervin Boyce, Shigo Kita, Donald Lemos and Dale Winter, Hugh Davis, Albert George and Walter George of Irvington, one year; Rowan Henry and Bob Hunt, second year.

Badges were presented to Scoutmaster Robert Stover and Richard Texeira, assistant, at Newark, also to Walter Texeira, scribe and J. R. Truscott, quartermaster.

Judge Norris stated that the Newark troop was starting under the most auspicious circumstances possible with a scoutmaster and a committee which had already had experience in scout work. He prophesied that the Newark troop would probably soon forge its way to the lead of scouting activities in the township. Due to the leadership of W. T. Lindsay, field executive, scouting is now in a better condition than it has ever been before, Judge Norris said.

The court of honor was attended by a large crowd of parents and other interested persons.

### CAMP FIRE GIRLS PLAN COUNCIL

IRVINGTON — The Campfire Girls of Irvington will hold a council fire at the home of the guardian, Mrs. Raymond Benbow on Nov. 29. The parents are invited.

## Judge Allen Norris Speaks At Chamber Thanksgiving Meet

NILES—Judge Allen G. Norris of Centerville delivered the address at the annual Thanksgiving luncheon of the Niles Chamber of Commerce at the Florence Restaurant on Monday.

He mentioned four reasons for which residents of the United States should be thankful as compared to people of other countries. Freedom of personal action, guaranteed by a democratic form of government, freedom of personal expression and of the press, freedom for religious worship and protection of personal property by the State were not only causes for thanksgiving but should be safeguarded for the future, he said.

That the United States was the best country in which to live was obvious from a review of conditions in other lands, he pointed out.

After visiting practically all other sections of this country he felt the Bay region the choice location for a home and for business, and Southern Alameda County, the choice part of the region. He tactfully refrained from mentioning that one of the chief reasons he was thankful was because of two stalwart Italian youths who got a lot of publicity after the Berkeley-Stanford game last Saturday.

President W. B. Kirk presided, opening the meeting with an expression of thanks for conditions in the United States. On Dec. 4, Mr. Kirk will have been a resident of this section for 42 years.

Frank T. Dusterberry, president of the Centerville Chamber of Commerce, brought greetings from that organization and expressed his thanks for being included in the annual Thanksgiving celebration at Niles. The speaker was introduced by F. V. Jones.

### REHEARSE MONDAY FOR SOUTHERN COUNTY BAND CONCERT

A concert will be given by the band of the Southern Alameda County Musical Association at the Livermore Union High School on Dec. 8, according to John Kimber, president.

The next rehearsal of the band will be on Nov. 28, at 7:30 o'clock at Hayward and again on Dec. 5 at Hayward. On Monday, Dec. 5, the chorus will rehearse at Hayward.

A series of concerts will be given by the chorus and orchestra in January. All those interested in participating are urged to attend rehearsals. The chorus and orchestra rehearsed at Livermore on Monday night.

### BUSINESS MEN TO FETE FOUNDRY

IRVINGTON — Thirty three business men of Irvington had a get-together dinner at the Irvington Hotel last Thursday night following announcement of the coming of the stove foundry to this town. O. N. Hirsch was toastmaster and R. W. Pederson was speaker. A celebration is being planned after the foundry starts operations about Dec. 15.



## ALEC'S HUNCH

By MEREDITH SCHOLL  
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ALEC leaned across the table toward the dark complexioned girl who sat opposite him. "Arline," he said earnestly, "for the hundredth time will you—"

He broke off, staring at her ruefully.

There was laughter in her eyes as she shook her head.

"And for the hundredth time, Alec, my answer is that I won't marry you—now."

Grimness came to Alec's face. His lips compressed.

"Why not? You love me, don't you?"

"You know I do, Alec. You know I love you."

"Then why don't you marry me? What excuse is there for you to refuse?"

Arline gestured helplessly.

"Alec, I don't know. There's something lacking about—us. And I don't know what it is."

She sighed.

"Please don't ask me to explain. I can't. It isn't anything you can put your finger on. It's just that—that we do love each other; we have since the day we met, and—and I've a feeling that something's wrong."

Alec looked at her steadily for a moment. Then abruptly he said:

"Arline, I'm a little fed up with hearing that line. You've been stalling me with it for almost a year. It doesn't make sense and it's entirely out of reason."

He stood up.

"If you want to know, it gives me a pain in the neck! I'm through!"

He turned and started away.

Arline quite overcome with astonishment, watched his broad back weave in and out among the tables of the restaurant; watched until he had disappeared through the entrance door; watched, even, for fully a moment after he had gone. Then she said:

"Well, I'll be dam—darned!"

A waiter came up, regarding her curiously. He had a slip of paper in his hand and she remembered with a sudden sinking sensation that she hadn't any money.

Alec, in his fury, had run off and left her high and dry, stranded.

She smiled at the waiter, a sickly little smile of appeal.

"I'm sorry," she said, "but I haven't any money."

"But, madame!" The waiter gestured in that hopeless, exasperating fashion that characterizes Frenchmen who have only a smattering of English at their command, and Arline knew the uselessness of trying to explain.

"Please send the manager to me," she said, trying hard to appear entirely at ease.

"But, oui, madame."

The waiter disappeared, returning a moment later with a fat, pudgy individual in evening clothes.

"Was there something wrong, madame?"

Arline appraised the manager in one quick scrutiny and decided that the situation was more hopeless than she had thought. She made a rapid decision.

"My boy friend ran out on me and I haven't any money," she explained.

"The best I can do is leave this ring as security until I'm able to return with funds."

She slipped off the ring and handed it to him. He took it in his pudgy hands and examined it closely.

"Oui, madame, oui."

Arline sighed with relief and stood up. As she did so she noticed that people at nearby tables were looking at her and smiling. Her cheeks flamed scarlet, and a terrible rage welled up within her.

Just wait till she saw Alec Booth! Just wait!

But the wait turned out to be something of an ordeal.

Alec didn't call up that night to apologize and ask forgiveness, as she fully expected he would. Nor did he call the next night or the next.

On the third day following the restaurant episode she saw him in the Cafe de Royal with blonde Norma Rich.

The sight caused a cold, nauseating chill to pass through her body. She returned home and sat down before the window of her bedroom to think.

It occurred to her then, for the first time, that perhaps Alec had been serious. Perhaps she had gone a little too far with her "stalling."

But it didn't seem possible that anyone, who had loved her as much as Alec pretended, could possibly stop so suddenly.

Tears filled her eyes.

Of one thing she was sure: The "lack" that had sealed her lips from saying yes to his proposal had completely and abruptly vanished.

The following day Arline went out of her way to meet Alec face to face.

She wanted to substantiate her growing fear; she wanted him to see her.

The meeting occurred at noon in the lobby of the building where Alec had his office.

He stepped off the elevator and found her confronting him.

He stopped and stared, coolly

looked her up and down, hesitated, raised his hat and passed on.

Arline's heart sank.

For two days thereafter she existed in something of a daze, poignantly conscious of only two things: her burning, all-consuming love for Alec, and the hopelessness of that love.

On the third day she did a desperate thing.

She phoned him at his apartment, but she didn't say the thing she'd intended. For as soon as Alec heard her voice, he cried:

"Arline! I—I—may I come over? I was just about to call."

Arline's heart skipped a beat. She steeled herself with an effort.

"Of course," she said. "Do."

Alec arrived within the half hour, and at sight of him Arline discovered that once more her nicely rehearsed speech was going to be forestalled.

Alec said: "Arline, I got to thinking on the way over here. You called me for some reason. What was it?"

Taken quite unawares, Arline hesitated.

"Why—I—I—"

"Was it because you—you're ready to marry me?" he asked.

Arline made a choking sound.

"Perhaps—"

"Darling!" He swept her into his arms. "Oh, sweetheart, I made an awful fool of myself. I tried to make you want me by becoming indifferent, by paying attention to another woman. I was an idiot to think it would work. That day we met in the lobby and I saw you were no longer wearing my ring, I realized how stupid I'd been."

"But, Alec, it was about the ring I called you."

"Eh?" said Alec, bewildered.

"I was going to tell you that if you wanted the ring back you'd have to go get it from the restaurant where I left it as security for my meal check, after you left me stranded."

Alec's jaw fell open.

"Then, it wasn't because—then you called me tonight only because—"

He stopped and stared ruefully, because Arline had begun to laugh.

"Darling, I've always played my hunches. And when I left that ring, I had a hunch it might serve as a good excuse sometime to call you up—"

She broke off, for at that moment, Alec seemed to have a hunch—and played it.

Discovers Nerve Current

Is Speeded Up by Warmth

It has been known for a century that electric charges follow nerve impulses, but it was only about 10 years ago that it became possible to measure the equivalent action of the brain. The measurers found to their astonishment that even when no impulses are sent into the brain nerve cells nevertheless beat electrically just as the heart beats mechanically when we are asleep.

According to Dr. Ralph W. Gerard, associate professor of physiology in the University of Chicago, this discovery has revolutionized the conception of the nervous system.

In the old days, meaning five years ago and longer, the nerves were supposed to stand idle until appropriate buttons were pushed, like a telephone exchange waiting for somebody to take a receiver off its hook. Now it is known that the nerves are always active.

Are the electrical beats produced by a ring, a chain of nerve, cells which pass on the impulses one to another, just as electrical impulses are passed along the individual molecules of an electrical circuit? Doctor Gerard says not.

Recent investigation shows that these spontaneous beats are affected by warmth (which speeds up the rate), by chemicals (potassium is an accelerator, calcium a retarder) and by regular nerve stimuli such as the tap under the knee cap which makes us kick the lower leg involuntarily.

Why Violinist Rosins Bow

Everyone has seen a violinist, before playing, rub rosin up and down the hairs of the bow. The horsehair attached to the bow which is drawn across the violin strings is covered with small scales which, in the ordinary way lie flat on the hair. The rosin causes these tiny scales to stand up, as it were, and so give a far better grip on the strings of the violin. Unless the horsehair is rosined at fairly frequent intervals, hardly any sound is produced when it is drawn across the violin strings.

Only Four Serpent Mounds

In all the world, there are only four mounds representing serpents. One is in Warren county, Ohio, two miles west of Morrow, and another is in Adams county, Ohio. There is a small one 10 miles south of Peterboro in the Province of Ontario, Canada. Still another serpent effigy is in Argyleshire, Scotland, near the shore of Loch Ness. All four mounds resemble each other sufficiently to cause speculation as to their common origin.

First SOS

The first wireless distress call at sea was sent from the East Goodwin lightship in the English channel on January 23, 1899. The old C.Q.D. signal, used by its operator, was heard by an amateur experimenter in Kent. Through the police, relates Collier's Weekly, the message was telegraphed to the Dover lifeboat station and its members rescued the crew of the R. J. Matthews, which had run aground on the Goodwin sands.

America Prepares for Fateful 'M-Day'  
With Prayer That It May Never ComeIndustrial and Military  
Mobilization Plans Being  
Perfected Against Day of  
Invasion.

By JOSEPH W. LABINE

It can't happen here—but then again, it might. In 1938 Uncle Sam casts a suspecting glance across the waters that separate him from Europe and Asia, just wondering. Will another World war break out? Will the United States be asked to defend South America from invasion? Indeed, will the United States herself be invaded?

Unpleasant thoughts, all of them, but the "peace" treaty of Munich and Japan's successful conquest of the Far East have convinced most Americans that the Boy Scout motto, "Be prepared," is a good national motto. Since October 1 the government has inaugurated a far-flung program for military and economic mobilization, protection against what the army chiefs call "M-Day."

As early as last winter, congress appropriated funds for expanding our army, partly the result of Gen. Malin Craig's insistence that national defenses be repaired before he retires next year from his post as chief of staff. This is the third year of record army expenditures, the 1938 outlay being \$492,896,000. Next year's program will cost an estimated \$500,000,000, plus high appropriations likely for navy and air expansion, economic and civilian defense.

Guard Against Uprising.

M-Day may never come, and surely the army cannot predict what part of the nation it would be called upon to defend. Listed in order of their probability, the four causes of American mobilization are (1) civil uprising on the mainland of the United States; (2) war provoked in South America by fascist expansion; (3) any war in Europe or Asia into which the United States might be drawn; and (4) invasion of the United States mainland.

Though most M-Day preparations are naturally secret, it is known that the nation is divided into a large number of possible battle zones, with highways, airplane landing fields and fighting equipment already designated in advance. Depending on which of the four above emergencies the army and navy might be called upon to meet, planes, fleet and all branches of the

army are being trained to co-ordinate their movements.

One of General Craig's ambitions is to increase our standing army, but not much over the present 165,000 troops. More important to him is a well-trained, well-equipped reserve army. This almost overnight it is hoped to mobilize 400,000 men in an emergency. These would include the standing army, 75,000 national reservists and the national guard. Though small, this force could repel an invader four months while an additional million men were being trained behind the trenches.

Air Corps Powerful.

The army air corps now has 1,250 planes, with 1,050 on order and an additional 2,320 slated for completion before 1940. This will place the United States in an enviable air power position, since our bombing planes are already superior to those of most nations. On the infantry side, the army hopes to increase tank regiments and modernize fighting tactics. Only 2 of the 14 cavalry regiments are now mechanized, and field artillery equipment is deficient.

U. S. Will Fete British Royalty

—But How to Go About It?

MRS. ROOSEVELT

She will not curtsy . . .

QUEEN ELIZABETH

. . . but everyone else will!

If the state department had funds for entertaining royal visitors, and if an arbiter could be found to dispose of conflicting social practices between Buckingham palace and the White House, official Washington would be much less worried about next summer's visit of England's King George and Queen Elizabeth.

Although the state department ceremonial officer crawls under a table when someone asks him how officialdom shall behave, the mistress of the White House avers she will entertain the royal guests in whatever manner the state department dictates.

Since the English visitors will probably enter the United States from Canada, it is expected that Undersecretary of State Sumner Welles will greet them and escort the special train to Washington.

There, at Union station, a host of dignitaries will meet the royal couple and a parade-like procession will carry them to their quarters, probably at the British embassy.

Mrs. Roosevelt Won't Curtsy.

Custom decrees that King George and Queen Elizabeth will first call at the White House, after which President and Mrs. Roosevelt will return the call accompanied by naval and military aides. Although



GUARDING MANHATTAN—Invading enemy planes would probably bomb cities like New York first. Testing its defenses, the army scans skies over Times Square.

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Air Corps Powerful.

The army air corps now has 1,250 planes, with 1,050 on order and an additional 2,320 slated for completion before 1940. This will place the United States in an enviable air power position, since our bombing planes are already superior to those of most nations. On the infantry side, the army hopes to increase tank regiments and modernize fighting tactics. Only 2 of the 14 cavalry regiments are now mechanized, and field artillery equipment is deficient.

U. S. Will Fete British Royalty

—But How to Go About It?

MRS. ROOSEVELT

She will not curtsy . . .

QUEEN ELIZABETH

. . . but everyone else will!

If the state department had funds for entertaining royal visitors, and if an arbiter could be found to dispose of conflicting social practices between Buckingham palace and the White House, official Washington would be much less worried about next summer's visit of England's King George and Queen Elizabeth.

Although the state department ceremonial officer crawls under a table when someone asks him how officialdom shall behave, the mistress of the White House avers she will entertain the royal guests in whatever manner the state department dictates.

Since the English visitors will probably enter the United States from Canada, it is expected that Undersecretary of State Sumner Welles will greet them and escort the special train to Washington.

There, at Union station, a host of dignitaries will meet the royal couple and a parade-like procession will carry them to their quarters, probably at the British embassy.

Mrs. Roosevelt Won't Curtsy.

Custom decrees that King George and Queen Elizabeth will first call at the White House, after which President and Mrs. Roosevelt will return the call accompanied by naval and military aides. Although

there was once talk of Mrs. Roosevelt's curtsying before the queen, it has definitely been decided she will not. But all other American women will be expected to curtsy.

When the royal couple is entertained at a White House dinner the traditional American seating arrangement will give way to English style. Ordinarily the President and Queen Elizabeth would sit at one end of the table, with the king and Mrs. Roosevelt at the other end. This time, however, all four will sit together, beginning with the White House hostess, King George, President Roosevelt and Queen Elizabeth.

Sometime during the visit a 21-gun salute must be fired in honor of King George. If he enters the United States at a point where guns are available, it will be done there. Otherwise the ritual will be postponed until the inevitable wreath-laying ceremony at the Unknown Soldier's tomb in Arlington national cemetery.

Since the Roosevelts have established a reputation of being more concerned with making their guests welcome than with standing on ceremony, observers agree on one thing—King George and Queen Elizabeth will have a good time.

## HOW TO SEW

by Ruth Wyeth Spears



THERE is an amusing story about the mittens and scarf shown here. They were not hand knitted. They were purchased rather hurriedly and sent to a young miss who was away at school. She had wanted something rather gay and a bit foreign looking to wear for skating and these were perfectly plain and pretty drab. She didn't take her disappointment lying down, but decided to brighten up that scarf and mitten set and make it speak a foreign language as well! She found the Swedish cross-stitch design shown here and copied it in all its gay colors on the ends of the scarf and backs of the mittens.

Hand knitted mittens and other knitted things in plain colors may also be decorated with this pert flower pattern. Start at the upper right corner of the large flower

and make the cross stitches as at A and B. This flower is a brilliant red, the small flowers bright blue and the stems jade green.

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Our Presidents

Grant was christened Hiram Ulysses, but through an error on the muster roll at West Point it was changed to Ulysses Simpson.

John Tyler was a member of the Confederate congress.

Martin Van Buren was shrewd in political intrigue and campaign manipulation, and gained many nicknames. He was variously known as the "Little Magician," "King Martin the First."

Theodore Roosevelt and Woodrow Wilson were awarded the Nobel peace prize.

Keeping Apples Whole.—Core apples before paring. They are less likely to break. A broad paring causes much waste because of the rounding surface of the apples.

Colorful Salad.—When using apples in salad leave the skins on to add a touch of color to the salad.

A Scrap Book.—A large loose-leaf note book is inexpensive and handy to use if you are saving the newspaper clippings of the doings of anyone in the family. More pages can be added when needed and any added data may be written on the note book paper alongside of the articles.

Toast Animals.—Cut animal shapes out of bread with animal cookie cutters. Spread with butter and toast a light golden brown under the broiler. Serve these to the children to eat with their soup.

Economy Note.—Save all celery tops, wash and dry them and place in the oven, turning them now and then. Store the leaves in an airtight tin. Use them for flavoring soups, salads, etc.

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The manufacturers of well-known quality merchandise today place their names upon it and advertise it as the best they can offer to the consumer. The name of a manufacturer on an advertised product says this: This is the best product I know how to make. It is pure, good and worthy of your purchase. I think so well of it that I place my name upon it as a guarantee to you of its goodness. If it does not fulfill your wants I will gladly make good its failure.

There is no good reason why you should accept the unknown instead of the known; the untried instead of the tested; the doubtful instead of the sure. To refuse unknown substitutes is a guarantee to yourself of positive satisfaction in buying. If every purchaser will confine his or her purchases to known, advertised quality merchandise there will be little cause for complaint. Trade mark products tell their own story. It pays to look before you buy. Reading the advertisements in the newspaper, looking at trade marks, labels and names on products has pure interest.

W. E. MOFFETT



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Isn't That Enough?

A cross man, like a cross baby, is not well. That's about all that ails him.

No liberal man would impute a charge of unsteadiness to another for changing his opinion.

After all of one's plans have gone to smash, one does not want his own way so persistently.

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Reviewed by  
CARTER FIELD

**Talk among Washington wisecracks, as result of election, turns to possible candidates for the Democratic nomination for President . . . Garner, Cordell Hull and Bennett Clark come in for speculation. . . Age seems to eliminate the two former.**

WASHINGTON.—If John Nance Garner and Cordell Hull were ten years younger, most Washington political wisecracks agree, they would be the two outstanding candidates for the Democratic presidential nomination in 1940, always assuming that President Roosevelt does not take the nomination himself. They may be anyhow, regardless of their age.

In that case, Vice President Garner would be the white hope of the anti-New Dealers, whereas Secretary Hull would have, in addition to his own strength, the strong position of being an excellent compromise candidate—at least that is how the picture looks now. The point here is that Hull has never at any stage of the Roosevelt administration taken sides in any of the bitter controversies which have split the Democrats. He conducted a couple of private wars of his own, as for instance against Ray Moley and George Peek, but they have been practically driven out of the party. Those who agree with them were for the most part supporting Alfred M. Landon in 1936.

But no considerable bloc of Democrats has ever had occasion to side against Cordell Hull since 1933. Which in itself is a very great asset but leaves a question mark. For the answer to this remarkable situation is that most of the violently factional Democrats believe implicitly that Hull agrees with them. For instance, the Democrats who fought the President on the Supreme court enlargement, and the Democrats who agreed with the President.

**Hull Took Sides Only on St. Lawrence Waterway**  
The only exception, the only time Hull has taken sides in an issue which split the Democrats, is that he has always favored the St. Lawrence seaway. But, curiously enough, this is not an issue which arouses hostility. The senators who opposed that treaty did so because they thought the seaway phase of it would divert business from the railroads and ports of their states.

Actually the issue is tremendous for many angles. But politically it has always been purely geographic, with the Atlantic and Gulf coast state senators opposing the treaty and most of the others favoring it. As between Garner and Hull, the strength of the White House would be thrown behind Hull, while the anti-New Deal Democrats would line up for Garner. Unless of course some new Roosevelt issue should be paramount at the time just preceding the conventions, when the presidential primaries would be under way, in which case Hull might be forced out of his position of benevolent neutrality.

**Senator Clark Looms as Presidential Material**  
The chief strength of the candidacy of Sen. Bennett Champ Clark of Missouri for the Democratic presidential nomination, aside from his own qualities, is the age of the two outstanding possibilities, Cordell Hull and John Nance Garner. To which might be added popular prejudice against a third term, which however may not be strong enough to prevent President Roosevelt from being both renominated and re-elected.

Clark would not be a compromise candidate. His nomination would be a decided blow to the New Deal. But events have been strengthening his position ever since his first spectacular victory, in 1932, in the Missouri senatorial primary. In that contest he was opposed by the powerful Pendergast organization in Kansas City, but won handsomely. He has been winning friends and strength ever since, not only in Missouri, as shown by the tremendous victory he won in the primary this year when he was up for renomination, but throughout the country.

First talk of his nomination for the presidency began in the senate cloakrooms when it finally developed that the insurgents had beaten the President on the Supreme court enlargement bill. Men with surprisingly wide differences of economic and political opinions are for him. Also he attracted a devoted following throughout the country by his fight on neutrality legislation.

It is a rather strange working of fate that Clark, not Sen. Burton K. Wheeler of Montana, seems to be in this strong position, always assuming that the third term issue does not eliminate Roosevelt, and their age does not eliminate Hull and Garner.

**Wheeler Credited With Saving Day for Roosevelt**

In 1932 Wheeler was among the earliest of the "For Roosevelt Before Chicago" group. In fact, while it seems absurd now, it is a serious question whether Roosevelt would have been nominated had it not been for Wheeler. To appreciate that it must be remembered how precarious was the Roosevelt position when a recess was taken, at the Chicago convention, after the third ballot. It was common knowledge that the Maine, Mississippi and Iowa delegations planned to go to another candidate on the next roll-call. The situation was saved by the quick Garner-McAdoo deal, engineered by William Randolph Hearst in his fear that otherwise Newton D. Baker might be nominated.

But obviously every element of strength that Roosevelt had at the time was vital, and Wheeler's staunch support was no small part of this.

Wheeler, however, was one of the few original Roosevelt men toward whom the President seemed to feel little friendliness after his inauguration. On Montana matters Roosevelt consulted J. Bruce Kremer, an old personal friend who happened to be a bitter enemy of Wheeler.

Then came the Supreme court fight and Wheeler became at once anathema to the White House and a hero to the "Yes, but" Democrats.

**Real Battle on New Deal Inside Democratic Party**

Every sign now points to the probability that the real battle against the New Deal for the next two years will be inside the Democratic party, rather than made from outside by the Republican party. The United States has had many queer political upsets, for example the tremendous swing between the Republican landslide of 1928 and the Democratic sweep of 1932. But a pattern runs through most of the political swings from one extreme to the other.

This pattern usually manifests itself by the party that is about to recapture control of the White House winning control of the house of representatives two years before its presidential victory. In fact there has been no variation of this rule since 1888, and a rule which has had no exceptions for half a century in the United States may be accepted as something of a precedent.

It will be recalled, of course, that the downfall of the Republicans was foreshadowed by the election of a Democratic house of representatives in 1930, the downfall of the Wilson era of Democracy was clearly forecast when the Republicans captured both the house and the senate in 1918. Most folks remember those two illustrations of the rule. But it has nearly always been that way.

Incidentally the turning of the dry tide was also so foreshadowed. Its high water mark was reached in the 1928 election, though this is open to reservation. Actually the force that swept dry into office in greater number than ever before, was far more religious prejudice than dry enthusiasm.

**Drys Achieve Peak as Result of 1928 Election**

But be that as it may the drys achieved their peak as a result of the 1928 election. Early in 1930, before anyone save a few wet enthusiasts sensed the turn of the tide, there was a careful inquiry into the individual wet and dry fights of 1928, at the end of which the late Sen. Thomas J. Walsh of Montana proved to the satisfaction of most congressmen that the money spent for the wets had been wasted!

But in those 1930 primaries, and in the election that followed, the sweep began. It was helped by the fact that there was a revolution against the Hoover administration for other reasons, and that there were considerably more Democratic wets than Republican running for office. But even in the primaries the tide turned. The game began with the solicitor laying down an "estate" card. The woman covered it with the card bearing the name of the relative she wished to inherit it, and they "turned the trick." So it went on until the property had been disposed of. The will was upheld in court.

**Thief Tries Argument**  
YUBA CITY, CALIF.—A thief caught red-handed by a policeman should not try to run away. Instead the most modern and streamlined thing to do is to argue the policeman out of it. When such a chap here, walking out of a blacksmith shop with a collection of electric drills and welding equipment, was stopped he explained that he was employed at the shop, that he had come to work early, gave a fictitious name and automobile number, and went on his way.

**Champion Eats 48 Eggs**  
WICKFORD, R. I.—Louis Tillinghast claims to be Rhode Island's egg-eating champion, and to prove it he downed four dozen eggs.

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**Peat Bog in Indiana Burns More Than Year**  
HUNTINGTON, IND.—A fire in a peat bog said to have been started by a carelessly flipped cigarette has been smoldering near here for over a year.

The blaze has gradually eaten away an area more than 50 feet long and almost as wide, and has resisted attempts to extinguish it as well as a year of heavy rains.

## WOMAN, 75, IS BACK FROM ARCTIC TRIP

Covers 12,000 Miles Through Ice-Laden Waters.

NEW YORK.—A cruise on the Hudson's Bay company relief ship Nascope through 12,000 miles of ice-laden waters of the North has been completed by a 75-year-old woman, who was greeted at Fort Ross as the oldest white person to set foot on that lonely outpost in the Northwest passage.

Mrs. Susan Nason of Medford, Ore., who made the trip with her daughter, Miss Margaret Nason, described the journey at the Post Graduate hospital, where she is receiving treatment for a foot ailment. She completed the trip at Halifax and then came here. The voyage lasted three months.

The Nascope, an ice-breaking freighter, makes the trip annually to the Hudson's Bay company's northern posts to deliver supplies, take in new personnel and collect the fur cargo. On the 1937 trip the ship carried personnel to establish Fort Ross on Somerset island in the Northwest passage.

The Nascope docked only once on the 12,000-mile voyage, at Churchill on Hudson bay, but anchored as nearly as possible to the outposts and sent provisions ashore in small scows. Mrs. Nason said stops were made at 30 of the company's posts.

At Thule, Greenland, the ship took on two Eskimo families and transported them to Craig Harbor, on Ellesmere island, the northernmost post office in the world. Here the ship also left two Royal Canadian Mounted police who had been brought for duty at Craig Harbor.

The ship also carried a party of Canadian government geologists and other scientists to their destinations, but the passengers who attracted most attention were three brides-elect who were married aboard to two members of the outpost personnel and an explorer.

One of the brides, Mrs. Nason said, was a girl from Scotland, a stickler for ceremony, who wore a white satin wedding dress and veil and even brought her wedding cake with her to the Arctic. The other brides were from Saskatchewan and Nova Scotia. Altogether there were eight women aboard the Nascope.

**Bang! But This Time It's The Hero Who's Taken In**

EVANSTON, ILL.—"Stick 'em up." The harsh voice of the gunman crackled in the telephone receiver. "You asked for it. Now you're going to get it!" A burst of gunfire punctuated the sentence.

Hastily Warner Hoople disconnected the telephone, then called the Evanston police station. "There's a robbery and shooting in the drug store at Chicago avenue and Main street," he cried. "I just heard it over the phone." Then Mr. Hoople called a taxi to his home at 420 Keeney street in the suburb, and sped to the scene himself.

He arrived a minute after five policemen had stormed in. Sgt. Bill Johnson looked coldly at Mr. Hoople. There was no robbery. There was no shooting.

Mr. Hoople said he had telephoned to order some poker chips, and insisted he heard the robber. The explanation: Miss Margaret Loebaka, a clerk, had laid the telephone mouthpiece down near a radio during a crime-does-not-pay radio program.

**Game of Cards Is Used To Formulate Testament**

LONDON.—Solicitors devised a game of cards to help a woman who could neither write nor speak to make her will. Two packs were specially prepared. One contained the titles of her properties and the solicitor handled. The other bore the names of the woman's relatives. These cards she held herself.

The game began with the solicitor laying down an "estate" card. The woman covered it with the card bearing the name of the relative she wished to inherit it, and they "turned the trick." So it went on until the property had been disposed of. The will was upheld in court.

**Fractured Bone Set in Pulling Man From Sewer**  
GAYLORD, MICH.—Barney Caldwell was trapped in a sewer cave-in, had his pelvic bone broken and is confined to a hospital in a plaster cast—and he insists he is lucky.

Here are his reasons: When the cave-in occurred he was bent over in such a position that he could breathe. When workmen uncovered him and pulled him out, the force was just sufficient to set the fractured pelvis. Doctors explained that a little more force would have severed nerves and left the lower portion of his body paralyzed.

## UNCLE SAM RELIES UPON YANKEE WITS TO COMBAT SPIES

Foreign Snoopers Harder to Catch Than Ordinary Criminals.

WASHINGTON.—Old-fashioned Yankee wits have to serve the American war department in the place of the spy systems other nations hire. But the wits do right well sometimes. For instance:

Recently a young American diplomat stationed in Europe had an appointment to visit a European naval air station. He put on his topper and tails and quite innocently arrived at the station a day early to see what he could see.

The gate man admitted him and sent off for the commanding officer, but the American sauntered off blandly for the water's edge, his eyes photographing all strange details, including some queer, stumpy-like arrangements set at intervals along the runways where the planes took off. Just then the flustered station commander caught up with him and ushered him back to the center of the post.

**He's Diplomatic About It.**  
When they returned to the runways the stumpy-like businesses were gone.

"O, secrets," thought the diplomat to himself.

So he quietly stepped off the holes where the stumps had been. Back at his office he wrote a description to our war experts. And that's how we found out that some nations are laying mines from airplanes.

Those stumps were fastenings to facilitate the swift threading of mines onto airplane fuselages as the planes slid down the runways for a takeoff. The idea would be a great time saver if we ever went to war.

Spies are the lightning bugs of the underworld: here they are, here they aren't. Their trail is picked up through something they've done. But are they men or women, young or old? Where do they live?

They're a much trickier lot to catch than the ordinary criminal because they're schooled in the secrecy that is their most valued weapon. Even after they're caught investigators hesitate to tell how it was done because they may need the secrets they've learned through that hunt in the next one.

But if you ask enough questions you may hear of such tricks as the whisky ginger ale one, which was told by an American who knew spies were trailing him.

**Secret Inks and Codes.**  
Codes and secret inks form a department by themselves in the spy business. They're used to send orders to spies scattered about the globe, and to return reports to the home office.

Secret inks write and then fade out. Several methods, depending on the ink, bring out the writing again. The simplest one becomes clear when the note is held over heat. Spies scorn that. But they usually carry an ink that develops only through some complicated chemical re-agent which is brushed lightly over the letter.

But even here they pile trick on trick. They have to carry the ink with them. If they are arrested and the ink is found it's proof of their work. That led to a strange discovery by our investigators during the World War. They had arrested a man suspected as a spy. But no evidence was found on him or in his bag.

So our secret service put his clothes through some chemical tests. From the cloth on the buttons of his dress coat came a dark color. It was secret ink. It had been dried into the buttons for use when he needed it.

**Trapped Kitten Is Saved By Lassoing Him by Paw**

BROOKLINE, MASS.—Mickey, a six-month-old kitten, is listed on police records as dead, but the death seems to be just one of the cat's traditional nine lives.

When Mickey became caught in a two-inch opening between two walls, police and firemen abandoned rescue efforts after four hours. But Al Morris, who lists himself as "official cat tree-climber" for the Animal Rescue league, kept trying.

"I tried everything I could think of," he said. "Finally I administered just enough chloroform to put the cat to sleep. Then I hooked her paw with a rope noose and drew her out."

"In 15 years of this type of work, this was the hardest job I ever had."

Mickey was returned to his mistress, Marita Oldroyd, 12. The girl's widowed mother, Mrs. Kathleen Oldroyd, who has four other children to feed, said she would welcome Mickey back because "it was in the cards."

## Healthy Mind Will Preserve Facial Beauty

By PATRICIA LINDSAY

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A HEALTHY, clear thinking, energetic mind is not only the nucleus of beauty but it is the nucleus of a radiant happy life!

Had I space to quote famous authorities I could convince you that destructive thoughts, or an undisciplined mind, can rob a woman of her health and destroy her happiness.

As you think, your face and eyes express your thoughts. Catch a glimpse of yourself in a mirror as you converse with a friend. Notice how your eyes sparkle and your lips turn upward when you speak gaily. See how quickly a frown appears and your eyes dim when you talk of sorrow or feel sad. Your lips narrow when you give vent to anger or gossip maliciously. Would you have believed it?

Do you know that every unworthy thought registers on your face? Haven't you seen women whose countenances reveal their habitual thoughts of malice, selfishness, jealousy? Of course you have. Over indulgence of miserable traits have robbed them of their beauty and happiness.

## Don't Be A Neurotic

Sick minds, registered on faces, ward off all human sympathy and love.

So don't be a neurotic. Keep your mind active, free, and in order. It is the receiving and sending instrument of your entire body. Let it receive wholesome, pleasant messages. Let it send wholesome, pleasant messages.

Four face reflects your thoughts

ant dictations. You know the old adage that "Beauty comes from within"—well it does, from within your mind!

If you have been in the habit of brooding, of becoming easily hurt at people's thoughtless words or actions, strive to overcome those tendencies. Ignore hurts and discouragements. Realize that brooding—or worrying—is an insidious form of illness which can destroy a lot you hold dear.

Don't be a woman consumed with self-pity. Don't be a girl consumed with self-pity. Every person has a tough time in life. Every person has problems and hurdles to leap. No life is without sorrow nor is any life without joy! Take life as it comes. Keep yourself healthy and let your mind create beauty!

**HINT-OF-THE-DAY**

The intelligent way to go about changing the style of your hairdress is to sit before your mirror after you have given your hair a thorough brushing away from the scalp. Comb your hair back from the face. Determine which hair-do will accent your good features and soften your less glamorous ones.

If you can afford it, go to an expert stylist and let him take you in hand. Otherwise go to a good barber and get a hair cut once you have decided on the exciting new style. Try to suit your type, your mood, your clothes. Try all sorts of parts until you find one that does a lot for you.

**Psychological Savages**

The natives of Dahomey, a French West African colony, seldom seek divorce; they have a custom that, usually, makes it unnecessary. Tribal tradition centuries old—established by some ancient chief in human understanding—decrees that when a man and his wife quarrel, both must go to opposite corners of the room and, facing the wall, meditate in silence, for a fixed period. This over, the man speaks first, but all he is permitted to say is "I'm an idiot." This he shouts 100 times. When he has finished the wife does likewise. Then both turn, advance to the center of the room and together cry "We are idiots." This ends the ritual. Both are now free to do whatever they please. In innumerable instances they do just what the old chief expected—burst out laughing and forget their quarrel.

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### THANKSGIVING

Just a little more than three centuries ago, a gallant band of men and women gathered on the shores of Plymouth Bay to raise their voices, arms, and hearts in a hymn of thanks. Barred from home by a wintry ocean, harassed by a silent dread of the Indians, plagued by hungry months ahead, they yet found reason to be thankful.

Today, three hundred and fifteen years later, you and I face another Thanksgiving. Plagued by the "isms" of a world gone mad, harassed by the threat of war, barred from economic stability, we may perhaps ask: What have we to be thankful for?

In China and Spain homes lie splattered into gruesome wreckage by the searing splash of falling bombs. In the East and West, men, women and children, who this morning knew the joy of living, will tonight lie sacrificed on the altars of war. In Germany and Italy, voices are hushed and eyes cast down as men forget their right to know and think. In England and France, men sit silent before the tread of marching feet.

In America, you and I will go home tonight, secure in the knowledge that it is peaceful and protected, that our loved ones are safe, and that we ourselves still have the power of our voices, the right to think and act.

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### Centerville Jots

#### PARTY AT MILLER HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller will entertain on Thanksgiving Day with a family dinner of 15 at their home in Centerville.

#### DINNER AT NORRIS HOME

The Norris family will enjoy Thanksgiving dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Norris.

#### SALZ FAMILY AT PALO ALTO

The Salz family will have Thanksgiving dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Salz at Palo Alto.

#### WILL HAVE DINNER AT HAYWARD

Miss Edna King of the Chapel of the Palms will have Thanksgiving dinner with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence King at Hayward.

#### BIG GAME PARTY HUGE SUCCESS

An unusually successful party was held by the Betsy Ross Parlor of Native Daughters at Swiss Hall on Big Game night. Over 250 tickets were sold at the door, more than 400 attending, according to Mrs. Dallas Paul, chairman.

#### NATIVE SONS WILL HAVE ANNIVERSARY

The 48th anniversary of the Washington Parlor of Native Sons will be observed early in December.

#### THANKSGIVING DINNER PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Pimentel will have Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Souza at Centerville. Fourteen will attend the family party.

#### DINNER AT MARRIOTT HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Marriott will have Thanksgiving guests Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Huff and son of San Francisco, Miss Ruth Lau of Berkeley and Miss Mildred Storgaard of Berkeley.

#### DINNER AT DUSTERBERRY'S

Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Dusterberry and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dusterberry, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dusterberry and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Renesch will have Thanksgiving dinner with Miss Elizabeth Dusterberry.

#### LIONS CLUB HAS MEETING

A short meeting of the Centerville Lions was held Tuesday night, the program being omitted in order that members might attend the whist party given by the Sportsmen's Club at the high school.

#### PARTY FOR ST. MARY'S

Grand Knight M. F. Silva of the Centerville Lodge of the Knights of Columbus had charge of the recent whist party for the benefit of the Christmas party at St. Mary of the Palms.

#### ATTEND K. P. MEETING

Frank T. Dusterberry, Leonard Whitbeck, Bernard Ashmore, William Bond, Frank Oldfield, C. H. Kittredge and M. P. Mathiesen attended a meeting of the Redwood Lodge of Knights of Pythias at Burlingame last week.

#### VISIT AT NILES MEETING

F. T. Dusterberry and Judge Allen G. Norris were guests at the Niles Chamber of Commerce meeting on Monday.

#### SAN JOSE GUEST RETURNS HOME

Mrs. McWhirter's mother has returned to her home in San Jose after spending several days here.

#### CHURCH ELDERS HAVE MEETING

Elders of the Washington Township Presbyterian parish met at Centerville this past week to make plans for the Christmas programs in the various churches. Rev. Vernon Brown, pastor, presided.

#### IMPROVEMENT CLUB TO HOLD PARTY

NEWARK—The annual Christmas party of the Women's Improvement Club will be held on Dec. 13, at the home of Mrs. Dora Fuller. There will be a tree and gifts and those attending will wear kid's clothes.

### Sportsmen Turkey Shoot Big Success And Many Winners

The Newark Sportsmen's Club held a turkey shoot at the new trap field on Sunday. The event was successful. A special meeting was held, for another shoot on December 11 at the same location.

The features of the day were: trap shooting, 22 Caliber target shooting, and shot gun, 12 gauge, target. The scores of straight trap shooting were:

Out of 25 shots, Stanley Majeski, 22; Ernie Frick, 20; Chris Mikkelsen, 15; and Tony Ornelas, 14.

Shooting for prize of turkey, out of 25 shots: Louie Calderia, 21; Tony Ornelas, 20; Joseph Machado, 20; Joe Martin, 20; Burley James, 19; Henry Marshall, 18; Tony Orland, 18; Stanley Majeski, 18; Chris Mikkelsen, 16; and Ernie Frick, 12.

Louis Calderia, shooting the highest score on trap, won a 12 lb. turkey. The following were winners of turkeys on 12 gauge target:

Manuel Lewis, scoring 63; Tony Orland, 59.

The 22 caliber rifle winners shooting at a range of 25 yards were: Henry Marshall score of 27; Ernie Frick, 25; Melvin Vargas, 17; Richie Davis, 16; Geo. F. Freitas and M. S. Silva 13 winners of 12 lb. turkeys.

Next Sunday at 10:30 a. m. the Newark Sportsmen will have a straight trap shoot, and the public is invited. On Tuesday evening a delegation of the Newark Sportsmen attended a meeting at Hotel Leamington, Oakland, consisting of president, Joe Machado; Chris Mikkelsen, George Butler and M. S. Silva.

The Newark Sportsmen met at Butler's Hotel on Tuesday evening and movies were shown after the business session.

The trap shooting is about one mile west of Newark on the Dumbarton highway. A sign has been painted and set up by Al Silva.

#### FELLOWSHIP GROUPS RALLY IN BERKELEY

NILES—A group of young people from the Niles Congregational Church attended a dinner meeting of the Eastbay Plymouth Fellowship rally at the First Congregational church in Berkeley Friday night. Dr. Francis B. Van Horn was the speaker.

Dinner was served at 6:45, and those attending from here were Elizabeth Lindsay, Marion Jorgensen, Genevieve Andre and Margaret Williamson, Robert Allen, Bill Myrick and Rev. R. C. Day.

#### HOLD CHRISTMAS COSTUME PARTY

ALVARADO—Approximately 30 children will take part in the Christmas party for the St. Anne's church to be held at the S. D. S. Hall on Dec. 17. Costumes for the affair are being made by Mrs. Clara Jacinto.

#### MISS ANTOINETTE BOTELHO ENGAGED TO S. F. DENTIST

CENTERVILLE—Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Antoinette Charlotte Botelho, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank F. Botelho of Centerville to Dr. Irwin C. Bornholdt, San Francisco dentist. No date has been set for the wedding.

The bride to be is a graduate of San Jose State College and of Mills College. For the past two years she has taught music at the Washington Union High School. She is the sister of Miss Sibyl Botelho, dean of girls at the local high school.

The groom elect is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bornholdt of Oakland. He attended St. Mary's College and is a graduate of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of San Francisco.

#### PIONEER RESIDENT OF ALVISO PASSES

CENTERVILLE—Final rites were said for Mrs. Mary Garcia, 75, a resident of the Alviso district for 73 years, at the Chapel of the Palms Tuesday morning. Mass was said at the Holy Ghost church with interment at the Holy Ghost cemetery.

The deceased was a native of Boston, Mass. She was a member of the Alvarado S. P. R. S. I. She was the wife of the late Antone Garcia and is survived by the following children: Manuel, Anthony, Beck, Mrs. Minnie Silva, Mrs. Miller Amaral and Mrs. Flora Corriera. She was the sister of Frank Claudine.

### Irvington Items

#### WILL LEARN DRESSMAKING

Miss Namia Tajima left for San Francisco Sunday where she will attend the International Dressmaking School.

#### HAS TONSILS REMOVED

LeRoy Raymond after a tonsilectomy at the San Jose Hospital is recovering at his home on Mission Street.

#### ATTEND SAN JOSE DINNER

Misses Irma Dutra, Agnes Raymond, Evelyn Kelliher and Adeline Amaral motored to San Jose last week where they were the guests at a dinner party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bettschart.

#### RECOVERING FROM OPERATION

Ernest Garcia has returned home and is recovering from an appendix operation performed at the Yreka Hospital.

#### GUESTS OVER WEEK END

Manuel Serpa of Newcastle and Miss Mary Rocha of Auburn left for their home on Monday after spending the week end as guests of Mrs. Minnie P. Silva and family.

#### LARGE GROUP AT SWISS PARK

Among those who attended the Native Daughters dance given at the Swiss Hall from Irvington, were: Agnes Raymond, Adeline Amaral, Melvin Howe, Chris Gomes, Mary P. Silva, Caroline

Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Costa, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kohlmoos, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Garcia, Mr. and Mrs. William Dargitz, Al Monese, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Peixoto, Mr. Raymond Pond, Manuel Marshall, Fern and Bernice Howe, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Campos, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Silveria and Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Sylvia.

#### MOVE INTO NEW HOME

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hirsch are being complimented on the completion of their new home on Broadway where they will celebrate Thanksgiving.

#### HOME FROM ETNA WORK

Andrew Garcia and Leonard Cunha are home for the winter after several months of construction work in Etna.

#### IN S. F. ON THANKSGIVING

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Garcia and Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Day were dinner guests at the home of friends in San Francisco on Thanksgiving.

#### GUESTS ON SATURDAY NIGHT

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Chambers and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Deitz and Mr. and Mrs. Art Bronley of Oakland were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Dargitz Saturday night.

#### ENJOY DANCE IN BAY CITY

Miss Pearl Silva, Manuel Guardanapo, Filbert Silva, Miss Alice Silva and Frank Silva were among those who attended the big dance at the Scottish Rite Audi-

torium in San Francisco Saturday night given by the Sportsmen's Association of California.

#### OAKLAND VISITORS HERE SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. McGinnis of Oakland were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Garcia, Sr., Sunday.

#### DEPART AFTER EXTENDED VISIT

Miss Mary Serpa who has spent several weeks visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Silva and family returned to her home in Newcastle on Monday.

#### GRANDMOTHER PASSES AWAY

News has been received of the passing of Mrs. Garcia, grandmother of Harold Garcia, on Saturday night at the age of 78.

#### HAVE NEW DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Marceline Rogers are the proud parents of a 4 pound baby girl born Saturday, November 19 at Silva's Maternity Home in Niles. Both mother and baby are doing nicely.

#### DINNER GUESTS SAN JOSE

Postmaster and Mrs. M. C. Joseph were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burley of San Jose on Sunday.

#### HONOR MEMBER AT BIRTHDAY PARTY

NEWARK—Mrs. S. G. Scott will be the honor guest at a birthday party to be given next Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Walter Wyatt by Losetra, young matrons' group of the Newark Presbyterian church.

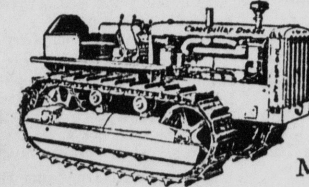
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**MRS. COLLINS  
VISITING PLACES**

Word has been received that Mrs. Emma Collins, who is in the east, will visit the California building at Mooseheart, recently dedicated to the Loyal Order of Moose and Women of the Moose in California.

**ASSEMBLY HELD  
AT SCHOOL**

A Thanksgiving assembly was held last Friday at the Newark Grammar School with the following program:

Orchestra selections; song and poem by the third and fourth grades; piano solo by Clifford Cos-

ta; accordion solo by Evelyn Santos; John Lemos, Clifford Costa, Karl Pierce, Louie Rocha, Albert Perez, Evan Tremblay, Charlotte DeValle, Laura Martel, and others sang a Thanksgiving song; accordion solo by Charlotte DeValle; song and poem by second grade; play by the sixth and seventh entitled "Grandmother and her stolen turkey."

**MANY PEOPLE  
ATTEND DANCE**

Many people attended the Big Game dance on Saturday evening at Swiss Park.

**MRS. PERRY  
IMPROVING**

Mrs. Joe Perry, who has been ill for quite some time, is improving.

**N. F. D. EXTINGUISH  
PASTURE FIRE**

The Newark Fire Department was called on Friday to extinguish a pasture fire south of Newark.

**CHIEF PASHOTE MEETS  
WITH SUPERVISORS**

Chief Pashote, one of the committee of the Alameda County Association, met with the Board of Supervisors in Oakland on Thursday in regard to a county fire ordinance.

**FARM HOME TO MEET  
AT DITTMAN**

The Farm Home Department will meet December 6 at the home of Mrs. Dittman.

**GROUP VISIT  
RELATIVES**

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martel, John Wilson and Eleanor Lyons spent Sunday in Oakland visiting friends and relatives.

**MRS. PHIPPEN  
HOME FROM HOSPITAL**

Mrs. Phippen returned home Wednesday from the San Jose hospital and is much improved after an operation.

**IN OAKLAND  
ON BUSINESS**

Mrs. Joe Dias and daughter, Mildred, spent Monday in Oakland on business.

**NEVES VISIT  
IN STOCKTON**

Mrs. Frank Neves and daughter, Beverly, returned home Sunday after spending a week in Stockton visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Neves.

**WOMEN IN  
OAKLAND MONDAY**

Mrs. Bishop and Mrs. J. F. Silva spent Monday in Oakland on business.

**GROUP ATTEND  
AUTO SHOW**

James Nevis, Jeanette Silva and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Silva spent Thursday in San Francisco attending the Auto Show.

**WOMEN ATTEND  
LUNCHEON**

Mrs. Zorns, Mrs. Newman and Mrs. J. F. Silva attended a luncheon at Oakland on Wednesday.

**SPEND THANKSGIVING  
AT PALO ALTO**

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Scott and family are spending Thanksgiving in Palo Alto with relatives.

**MRS. WYATT  
ENTERTAINS CLUB**

Mrs. Wyatt entertained the stitch em up club on Friday. A birthday party was held for Mrs. Sam Scott, who is a member of the club.

**WILLIAMS  
VISIT TRESCOTT**

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Williams of Oakland spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Trescott.

**PINE AND VARGAS  
PURCHASE CARS**

Wilbert Pine purchased a 1930 Ford from the Newark Garage last week and M. Vargas purchased a 1933 Chevrolet recently.

**WOMEN IN SAN JOSE  
ON BUSINESS**

Mrs. Ed White, Mrs. M. E. Bole, and Mrs. Williams spent last Thursday in San Jose on business.

**GUESTS OVER  
SUNDAY HERE**

Mrs. Emilia Deonizio, her daughter and son in law and their baby, of Sonora spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Annie Calderia.

**GROUP ATTEND  
BANQUET FRIDAY**

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Montero,

James Nevis and Jeanette Silva spent Friday evening in Oakland attending a banquet at the Lake Merritt hotel.

**MISS LOURIE  
VISITS LIBRARY**

Miss Elizabeth Lourie of Irvington branch library visited the Newark branch Saturday afternoon. While here she also visited Mrs. Flaherty, resigned librarian.

**Decoto Doings****WILL WED  
NEWARK GIRL**

Frances Hermosa of Newark and Alphonso Romero of Decoto, have filed their intentions to wed.

**SPEND DAY  
IN OAKLAND**

Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Searles spent Wednesday in Oakland.

**GUEST OF  
CARMEL RELATIVES**

Miss Matilda Silva is visiting with relatives in Carmel.

**MANTECA VISITORS  
HERE WEDNESDAY**

Mrs. John Souza and daughter of Manteca visited at the home of relatives here on Wednesday.

**BAGS LIMIT  
OF PHEASANTS**

George Smith went pheasant hunting Saturday and returned home with the limit.

**ATTEND S. F.  
AUTO SHOW**

Miss Ida Sequeira and Eddie Francis attended the Auto show in San Francisco on Wednesday evening featuring Rudy Vallee and his orchestra.

**REDWOOD RELATIVES  
ARE VISITORS**

Mr. and Mrs. Del Peters and children of Redwood City visited with relatives here on Sunday.

**ATTENDS NILES  
WHIST PARTY**

Mrs. Rose Silva attended a whist party in Niles Thursday.

**GROUP ENJOYS  
BIG GAME DANCE**

Bertha Rocha, Annie Abel, Isabel Sumaquo, Leroy and Isadore Naia, James and George Silva were among those who enjoyed the Big Game Dance held at Swiss Park on Saturday evening.

**TAKE IN BIG  
GAME SATURDAY**

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence F. Salz attended the California-Stanford game at Berkeley on Saturday.

**PURCHASE NEW  
AUTOMOBILE**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rebelle are the owners of a new 1939 Chevrolet Sedan.

**STATE PRESIDENT  
PRESENT AS EAGLES  
INITIATE CLASS**

ALVARADO — The Alvarado Aerie of Eagles initiated 14 candidates at the meeting Monday night, November 7. This was also the time for the official visit of State Edward J. Smith of the Fruitvale Aerie. Delegations were present from other lodges, 85 in all attending. A banquet was served following the ceremonials.

New members are Louis A. Silva, Leonard Silvey, Henry Andrade of Alvarado; E. D. Correa, Leonard Gonsalves, Seraphine Calderia, Joseph S. Pierce of Centerville; Edwin C. Ferreira and Ernest Albert of Irvington; Tony J. DeValle, Franklin Rito, Joe S. Calderia and Louis Calderia of Newark and Joseph P. Oliver of Warm Springs.

**HONOR DECEASED  
K. OF C. MEMBERS**

CENTERVILLE — Memorial services for nine deceased members of the Centerville Council of the Knights of Columbus were held last week. Grand Knight M. F. Silva had charge and was assisted by John Vasconcellos, M. W. Lewis, John Cattaneo, E. J. Pimentel and Joe Duarte.

Those honored were the late John Regan, Edward Machado, John Mattos, Edward Rodriguez, D. A. Fitzgerald, A. G. Francisco, Bert Silveria, Tom Power and Garrett Norris.

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CENTERVILLE — Resolutions in memoriam to five members who have passed away since the last meeting of the organization were adopted by the Men's Club of Washington Township at their recent gathering. Deceased members who were thus honored were Louis Ruschin, Garrett T. Norris, Thomas J. Power, Henry May and George J. Lowrie, all of whom had resided in this community for more than 50 years.

The resolutions read as follows: Since our last meeting, the SUPREME RULER, in his wisdom has seen fit to remove from our midst, our esteemed and beloved Charter members, Louis Ruschin, Garrett T. Norris, Thomas J. Power, Henry May and George Lowrie. Let us pause a moment and bow our heads in memory of our departed members. Each had resided in Washington Township for over half a century and during all that time they did their full share of community service. Their kindly ways, their sympathy for and their love of humanity, their unflinching courtesy and fairmindedness, their charitable acts, their keen interest in governmental affairs, and their loyalty to State and Nation, drew and held our admiration and deep affection.

They loved the companionship of friends. The pomp and glamour of wealth and distinction impressed them not at all. They bequeathed to their families and friends the tenderest recollections and a just pride in their integrity and splendid character. We believe with the poet, that "They will awake and have some loving word to say, Some kindly deed to do, for loving thought. Was warp and woof of which their life was wrought. They are not dead. Such souls forever live. In kindly measure of the love they give." We will miss their cheery smile and hearty handclasp at our meetings and in our daily life and by their passing are reminded that

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the same summons will eventually come to us all. Be it directed that we stand in silence for a period of one minute in respect to their memory, and that this tribute to our departed brothers be spread in full upon the records of this meeting.

**SCOUT COMMITTEE  
MEETS NOV. 16**

CENTERVILLE — The Centerville Boy Scout Troop Committee met on Wednesday evening, November 16, at 7:30 o'clock, at the Centerville Grammar School.

The following Scouters form the Centerville committee:

James Nunes, scoutmaster; Joseph Nunes, assistant scoutmaster; Dallas Paul, committee chairman; Manuel Brazil, secretary; Judson Taylor, Jack Silva, Joseph Duarte, Joseph Furtado, activities counselors; Philip Souza, advancement counselor; John Cattaneo, finance counselor; Tom Maloney, Loren Marriott, Tom Silva, troop committeemen.

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## CHAPTER V—Continued

"On the contrary," said I, "we're practically home. I'm going to get pen and ink—for you to take down." Leaving him staring, I entered the room on my left, passed to a table and dipped a pen in some ink. Then I came back and gave it to Herrick and watched him begin to descend.

Brenda, of course, was wide-eyed; but it was not for me to tell her what we had found.

We waited together in silence till Herrick came back—alone.

"Elizabeth wants you again," was as much as he said.

In some surprise, I took the torch from him and again descended the stair.

As I entered the little chamber—"Look," said Elizabeth, pointing. "Is that all right?"

I stooped to regard the vellum. She had written a line beneath her grandfather's name.

"Elizabeth Virgil, Countess of Brief, only child of the foregoing's first-born son."

"Yes," said I. "There's no mistake about that."

She gave me the pen, and picked up the great gold ring. Then she turned to look again at the body, sunk in its stall.

"Seeing the believing," she said. "But no chemist could do today what Gollanx has done."

That, of course, was most true. By every right, the body should have been dust. Instead, it had the air of a waxwork. And that, I suppose, was why it was in no way offensive, but only remarkable.

After a long look—"We'd better be going," she said, and turned to the stair.

There was now no cause for haste, for leave before midnight we dared not, in case Brief was not asleep; and that was the hour at which Winter was to be by the mouth of the drive. (He, of course, knew no more than that we were within the tower and that all was well, for I had twice sent him that signal a short half-hour before dawn. This, from the leads of the tower, which were easily reached.) Indeed, we were faced with the prospect of being confined for three hours with nothing to do, for though we were all worn out, excitement and impatience, between them, would not allow us to rest. But first, of course, we had to cover our tracks.

(Here let me say that I make no excuse for the outlook which I have this moment set down. It was ours, at that time; and if I am to be honest, it must be declared.)

Now that we knew the secret, it took us a very short while to return to their ancient order the elements we had displaced, but dust that the years have laid cannot be reproduced in ten minutes of time, and half an hour went by before I was satisfied with the look of the thirty-sixth step, within whose stone the key to the chamber lay. Whilst I was attending to this, with Brenda to give me light, my lady and Herrick together composed a full note of what we had found in the chamber and what the statement set forth. They were at work in the bedroom, that is to say, the uppermost room of the tower.

I had finished my work on the step and, with Brenda behind me, was going upstairs to the bedroom quietly enough. We had passed by the door and I was about, being by, to relight my torch, when a sound there was no mistaking rapped out of the dark. It was the clack of a latch.

The two of us stood still as death. Again the iron was raised—by somebody standing on the other side of the door . . . and pressure was put on the oak—which could not open because we had made it fast . . . Then whoever was there gave in, and the latch fell back into place.

I was up the stairs in a flash, to give the alarm.

Elizabeth paled, and Herrick stifled an oath.

"If we can, we must bolt," said I. "By way of the courtyard, of course; and so to the belvedere."

"Is that step all right?" said Herrick.

"Thank God, yes," said I. "I was on my way up."

As luck would have it, our stuff was ready to hand, and before two minutes had passed, we had packed it anyhow and were ready to leave. We had intended, of course, to restore to the rooms we had used the order we had found in them when we came, but this was not now worth doing, and so we let them be. As the four of us stole past the door, the latch was raised and let fall and the oak was urged, as though some one refused to allow that the bolts had been shot.

As fast as I dared, I led the way down the stair.

We were, I suppose, some 50 seconds too late.

As I gained the hall, I heard the sound that I dreaded some 18 inches away—a key being tried in the door at the foot of the stair.

It was, of course, tried to no purpose. The door was heavily barred. But it meant that both exits were held, and that we were caught in the tower as rats in a trap.

## CHAPTER VI

I often think that we fully deserved our plight, for, once we possessed the secret we set out to find, we should not have lost a moment in leaving the tower. To cover our tracks was essential, but that we could have done in a quarter of an hour. Then again we needed the darkness, but dusk would have served our turn. And that we had. We preferred to ignore a grave peril because for 43 hours it had never lifted its head, losing sight of the staring fact that if it should lift its head, we were bound to be caught. Be these things as they may,

move. If you should get clear . . . "I'll give you a flash," said I. "from the bend of the stair."

Herrick nodded and took out a cigarette.

By this time those in the courtyard were fairly assaulting the oak, and since, when the latch was drawn, the door could be moved to and fro for an eighth of an inch, a not inconsiderable uproar invaded the room.

"Put out that light," said Herrick.

As I did his bidding, he stepped to the door of the chamber and flung it back with a crash.

The uproar beyond stopped dead. Then—

"Who the devil is there?" roared the steward. "Open at once."

A thick voice replied in German. "What does this mean—disturbing respectable people at this time of

"Too easy," I said, with an eye on the way we had come. "And if I'm not back in three minutes, please give me your word you'll go on. I cannot tell what may happen. If there's a hitch, it may be better for us to leave by the lower door. But we couldn't do that unless we were sure you'd escaped."

Elizabeth shook her head. "If you don't come, I shall use my judgment," she said.

I shrugged my shoulders and went. There was no time to argue. Any moment someone might visit the upper floor.

I have so far said nothing of what we were most afraid of that summer night—the entrance of Percy Virgil upon the scene. Not only was the fellow efficient—he would have secured both doors before he did anything else—but he had good



"On the Contrary," I Said, "We're Practically Home."

when I heard that key move in the lock, I was ready to do myself violence for throwing away the chance of escape we had had: for, had we behaved—not with prudence, but common sense, we should at that time have been nearing the mouth of the drive.

After a moment's hesitation, I led the way through the hall and into the room beyond. Then I shut the door behind Herrick, lighted a torch and threw the beam on the floor.

I touched Elizabeth's arm.

"First, tell me this," I said. "Is the roof any good?"

"I've no idea," she said, and pushed back her sable hair. "There might be a way—I don't know."

I shook my head.

To seek such a path by night would have been a desperate venture for Herrick and me: the presence of our companions ruled such an enterprise out.

"Then I can think of nothing," said I, "except to draw them away from the upper door. If we can only do that, we may still get clear. Out of the upper door, where we heard them first—across the landing you spoke of into your suite—down your staircase—turret—out of the castle and up to the belvedere. Winter will still be there, if we can be quick, to lead us over the ridge and down to the Rolls."

"A feint?" said Herrick, frowning.

"That's my idea," said I. "A demonstration down here—at the lower door. I admit it's a damned thin chance, but what else can we do?"

"What sort of demonstration?" said Elizabeth.

I looked at Herrick.

"Do you think you could do it?" I said. "Disguise your voice and—"

and parley with them in German? I mean . . ."

Herrick's face was a study.

"I see," he said slowly. "Parley? And how, when the parley's over, do I get out? Up a hundred steps and then through a house I don't know. Or don't I get out?"

"I shall come back," I said, "as soon as they're safe in the suite."

With my words we heard somebody pound on the lower door.

"Who is within?" they demanded.

"Open at once."

Herrick looked at Elizabeth.

"Is that his lordship?" he said. "I'd like to, er, parley with him."

My lady smiled.

"That was Bertram," she said. "The steward. I'm afraid he may get rather fussed."

"A little bit pompous?" said Herrick.

"A shade, perhaps. But a most respectable man."

nicht? Go and wipe your snout, you old toss-pot, and burn the towel."

A savage hiccup subscribed this most offensive command.

Then a wave of scandalized consequence burst on the lower door. The oak was pounded and shaken, and choking cries of protest stood out of a motley clamor of orders and threats.

I touched Elizabeth's arm and made for the stair.

As the girls stumbled onto my heels, I opened the upper door.

Beyond this, curtains were hanging, heavy and thick. I cautiously lifted one, to see the broadest landing I ever knew. In its midst was an oval well, some 40 feet wide, with a bronze balustrade about it and the heads of twin flights of stairs upon either side. (To give some idea of their size, each step was but two inches high and some twelve feet long.) The landing itself was dim, but a brilliance rose out of the well and the sumptuous flights of stairs ran down into light. So far as I could see, there was nobody hereabouts, but the sound of voices and movements came from a lower floor.

Elizabeth, peering beside me, caught my wrist.

"Quick," she breathed, and urged me across the carpet to a door which was close to the head of the farther stair.

An instant later, the three of us entered her suite.

cause to remember both Herrick and me; and though we made good our escape, if he set eyes upon us the police would be at Raven very nearly as soon as the Rolls. But now I disclose this dread, for as I whipped over the landing, I heard his sinister voice.

I think he was giving some order. Be that as it may, his unmistakable accents rang out of the well.

In a flash I was past the curtains and back in the tower and was cursing its stairway anew, because to go down it too fast was to break your neck.

As I came within earshot—"Only let me get out," belched Herrick, fumbling the bolts of his door. "I'll teach you to talk to your betters. I warn you, Bertie, I'll tie your snout round your neck."

And there I flashed my torch—and saw him leap for the stair.

I turned and climbed before him for all I was worth . . .

Eighty-eight merciless steps, wedge-shaped, steep and naked, curling between walls that were hostile and, when you sought for a handhold, bruised your nails . . . After a little, you seemed to make no progress, to be no more than the pitiful, captive squirrel climbing his endless wheel . . . Up, up, up . . . For less than a minute, I know; but such is the power of apprehension, it seemed an age.

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## Far More Good Snakes Than Bad Ones, Yet All Are Doomed Without Reason

The sight of a cottage owner on a lake in Oakland county beating a harmless garter snake to death as it attempted to crawl over his lawn calls to mind the many unwarranted prejudices that exist in the animal world, particularly among mankind, observes Albert Stoll Jr., writing in the Detroit News.

Snakes, toads, frogs, newts, skunks, weasels, porcupines, multitudes of insects, some birds and many other smaller mammals repel most of us. According to our own interpretation they have no rights, and any interference, imaginary or otherwise, with our plans or selfish desires brings on the death warrant. And our definition of good and bad among the lower creatures depends principally on our aversion to the species. We condemn snakes because there are some that are poisonous; there are far more good snakes than bad ones, yet they all suffer the same end.

The fisherman shoots merganser ducks, blue herons and kingfishers because he thinks they are eating his trout. He doesn't know for certain, but according to his light they

have no business on his trout stream even though they were there long before the angler.

And so down the entire list of birds of prey, cold-blooded amphibians and reptiles; predatory animals and winged and crawling insects. We destroy more often without reason or justice, thinking that we are better able to judge the worth of creatures than the forces that were responsible for their creation. And in so doing, more frequently than not, we destroy a balance that Nature ordained when the world was created.

**Cockney, Dialect Used in London**  
Cockney is a dialect used in London. In cockney pronunciation, "daily" becomes "dyly," "about" sounds like "abaht" and "thing" is "fng!" The word, cockney, comes from coken-ey, middle English for cock's egg—a small, malformed, yolky egg supposed to have been laid by a cock. The word next was applied to "spoiled" boys and girls, later to city "sissies," and still later to all Londoners and the way they talk.

## HEALTH

• Cancer, in early stages, now almost certainly cured by operation, radium, or X-rays.

By Dr. James W. Barton

AS YOU think of the research workers all over the world patiently trying to discover the cause of cancer, some working with elaborate equipment and others with nothing but a microscope, you may feel that until the cause has been discovered all cancer patients must die within a short time after the cancer has been discovered.

As a matter of fact, because the cause has not been discovered after the many years of research workers—physicians, surgeons, roentgenologists—have been trying just as hard to find methods of curing cancer. That they have succeeded is one of the bright pages of medical history.

In many hospitals now, when a case is found to be cancer, there is a discussion by the staff as to which method of cure is best suited for this particular case.

The London letter from the regular correspondent of the Journal of the American Medical Association records the annual meeting of the Royal Cancer Hospital, London, in which Dr. Cecil Rowntree, senior surgeon, stated that the hospital was now supplied with the latest and most efficient apparatus that it was possible to wish for.

**Best Methods of Treatment.**

"We have now learned the best ways of dealing with the widely different types of cancer. We now know which are the types of cancer best treated by surgical operation. We know that in other forms, such as cancer of the tongue, mouth and throat, we can confidently expect such results from radium treatment as have never been equaled or even approached by any other form of treatment, and with a certain type of X-ray machine we are constantly and consistently curing such diseases as cancer of the lip and face and cancer of the skin with such certainty, simplicity and safety as has never been experienced before. In fact, give us a case of cancer in any of these situations in a reasonably early stage and we will now guarantee its complete and speedy disappearance."

The thought then is that in a reasonably early stage any type of cancer can be cured by operation, radium or X-rays.

**Difference in Common and Allergic Colds**

Perhaps you are afflicted with frequent colds but you notice that while some of these colds seem to last only two or three days and remain in the head, others last for a week or more, and you cough and get up much mucus. If such be the case it is possible that the light cold or "head" cold is not really a genuine cold, or cold due to infection, the symptom being due to some substance—pollen of plants, house dust, or some chemical irritant.

Dr. Louis Tuft in his book "Clinical Allergy" states: "Colds are not acute infective colds—coryza or the common cold—unless they begin with an irritation in the nose—general malaise—prostration; discharge from the nose, at first a thin mucus, the later becoming like pus; and fever."

"Colds beginning with sneezing, followed by a 'watery' discharge from the nose, obstruction of the nose, perhaps a cough, with no fever, are more likely to be allergic rhinitis—due to allergy or sensitivity to various substances—possibly associated with asthma."

**Allergic Symptoms.**

A description of this allergic running nose, asthmatic type of cold due to sensitivity to substances should help us to distinguish between it and the true or genuine common cold.

"If sneezing is followed by nasal obstruction (nose blocked), watery discharge from the nose, shortness of breath, wheezing and cough, the condition is more likely to be a specific allergic type of asthma, than if there is cough, expectoration from the throat and bronchial tubes, followed by wheezing which is more likely to be due to organisms causing the common cold."

"The type of the attack of this allergic or sensitivity type of asthmatic cold is important. If it occurs at night there may be something in the bedroom causing the symptoms; whereas, if the attack occurs shortly after a meal, food allergy or sensitivity to foods should be suspected."

The thought then is that the genuine common cold may begin with nose irritation, just as with the "allergic" cold, but the common cold "puts you down," prostrates you, the discharge from the nose is thick, there is cough and expectoration; there is a rise in the temperature.

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## Call It Even

By KARL GRAYSON  
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SHORTLY after the death of his Uncle Moe, young Kilburn Blake was advised that he had been mentioned in the old gentleman's will. "To my nephew, Kilburn Blake, I bequeath my Wimple automobile . . ."

The news did not set Kilburn's heart a-flutter with palpitations of fondness. The Wimple automobile, to be sure, was a beautiful specimen of machinery. But the cost of owning and operating one was prohibitive, unless a man's yearly stipend was in the five-figure class. Which Kilburn's wasn't. Indeed, on \$30 a week one would no more think of buying a Wimple than investing in a \$15,000 house.

Kilburn's first thought was to offer the Wimple as down payment on a smaller and less expensive car. Investigation, however, revealed that the trade-in value of Wimples was next to nil, due to their lack of resale value.

It was all rather disheartening. Here he was stuck with a piece of machinery he couldn't use and for which he was paying garage rent and taxes. Why not have the thing stolen and collect the insurance? Well, why not? A noble thought. The premium was paid for six months in advance; the \$800 for which the car was insured would buy a new and smaller machine, with money to spare.

Kilburn had all kinds of faith in human nature—so he drove the Wimple up town the next day and left it parked in a vacant lot with the key in the ignition. When he came for it that night—it was still there.

The following evening, Kilburn took his girl to the movies, and left the Wimple, key in lock, on the adjacent side street. Hopefully he returned to the spot after the performance—and not only found that the automobile was present and intact, but a ticket tucked under the windshield wiper, informed him that the side street had parking laws and he'd better show up at the police station. As soon as he was able to buy gasoline again, he drove the vehicle into that section of the city known as the slums, the underworld, the tough district. Parking it before a pool room he strolled away with hopeful nonchalance.

Refusing however, to permit himself to become too optimistic, he remained away from the locale until after midnight. He had read somewhere that crime addicts worked better in the wee small hours. Returning to the pool room at 3 a. m. he discovered to his disgust that nothing had happened to his legacy.

A fortnight later Kilburn drove to the neighboring town of Ridgefield to attend a party. At 12:30 it occurred to him to go home, but upon attempting to put the plan into execution, he met with an obstacle. The Wimple, which he had parked in front of his friend's house, was missing.

At first, Kilburn was elated. Concern, however, followed. There remained the matter of getting back to the city, 18 miles distant. The last bus had gone, the party had broken up and his friend's house was dark. There remained but a single alternative and Kilburn was forced to take it. He located a taxi stand and negotiated for the necessary transportation for a consideration of \$7.00. Before leaving, however, he apprised the local police of the loss of his car, and during the ride home he revised his spirits by thinking of the \$800 insurance money he would receive.

The next morning he notified the insurance company of the theft, and went joyfully to work. That night the Ridgefield police called and advised him that they had located what was left of the Wimple.

"How do you mean, what's left of it?" Kilburn asked.

"Someone took it for a joy ride and ran into a stone wall. It's pretty badly demolished."

"Oh," said Kilburn, and hung up. After a moment's thought he searched the classified section of the telephone directory and presently called a number.

"Is this the Ridgefield junk yard?" he asked.

"Yes."

"My car was smashed up last night on Brant street. How much'll you give me for it for junk?"

"Oh!" So it was your car? Well, O'll tell you. That car is on my land already. It will cost you \$10 for leaving it there."

Kilburn said something under his breath. Aloud: "Now, wait a minute! Do I understand that whoever it was smashed up my car chose your property on which to do the smashing? And you're trying to charge me for storage?"

"Well, O'll tell you. Ve'll call it even. I'll take the car an' charge you not one penny. Ve'll call it even."

Indignation and anger welled up within Kilburn's breast. But presently it subsided and was replaced by a profound sense of relief, and well being. His mind flashed back, mentally totalling the items of expense caused by his ownership of the Wimple. He sighed.

"Call it even," he said.

## Named Gulf of Pearls

When Columbus discovered Trinidad in 1498 he called the bay on the western side of the island the Gulf of Pearls, because of the gems found in the oysters which had attached themselves to the trunks of the mangrove trees growing along the shore, with their roots in the bay. Columbus believed that when the oysters opened their "mouths" drops of dew from the trees fell into them and that these drops eventually grew into pearls. He hoped, it is recorded, to gather enough pearls to make a necklace for Queen Isabella, but moved on from Trinidad before accomplishing his quest.

## Life of Animals and Plants

Plants exceed animals in the length and shortness of their lives. Parrots may live longer than a century, elephants may live two centuries, and apparently whales live several centuries. The Sequoias of California outlive them by attaining an age of 50 centuries, according to the American Wildlife institute. Certain bacteria have a life cycle of only 20 minutes, which is shorter than the life of any animal.

## Firing Guns at Burials

The custom of firing three volleys over the grave of a deceased veteran is derived from the old Roman custom of casting earth over the coffin, calling the dead by name three times and then saying "vale" three times. The word "vale" is the Latin word for farewell. The firing of three volleys is saying farewell to the deceased.

## Introduction of Golf

The game of golf was old and well developed when it was introduced into the United States. The first games were played in New York in 1890. Solid rubber balls were used. Earlier in the history of the game balls made of feathers, encased in leather, were employed, but not in this country.

## Food Value of White Onion

Analysis of the white variety of onions as obtained by the U. S. department of agriculture shows water 85.26 per cent, protein 2.23 per cent, fat 0.22 per cent, nitrogen-free extract, 10.8 per cent, fiber 0.70 per cent, and ash (mineral matter) 0.68 per cent.

## Nets Used by Turtle Fishermen

Nets which turtle fishermen use are about 15 feet long and are fashioned around two hoops, each three feet in diameter. They are set in shallow water and baited with tankage. The holes in the nets are large enough to allow all fish to escape.

## Size of the Nutria

In size a nutria is between a muskrat and a beaver. There the likeness to either the muskrat or the beaver ends, as the fur is a different color, and apart from being an aquatic animal its breeding and other habits are entirely different.

## Vegetable Soaps

Juice of the soap-wort plant will clean clothes. The West Indies and South America have a tree whose fruit is as good as soap. California grows a plant whose bulbs serve this purpose, and Peru has a tree with soapy bark.

## Worst Kind of Poisoning

The worst kind of poisoning—botulism—is caused by eating home-canned fruits and vegetables from improperly sterilized containers. Sixty-five per cent of botulism cases are fatal.

## Favorite Recipe of the Week

### JAPANESE CAKE

1/4 cup shortening	1 tsp. soda
1 cup sugar	2 cups flour
3 lbs. molasses	1 tsp. cinnamon
1 cup warm water	1/2 tsp. cloves
2 egg yolks	1/4 tsp. salt

Cream shortening, sugar, and molasses. Add warm water and beaten egg yolks. Sift flour, salt, soda, and spices together and add to first mixture. Bake in two layers.

### Frosting

Boil together 1 cup sugar and 1/2 cup water. When syrup will spin a thread, pour over 2 stiffly beaten whites of eggs. Add one cup raisins which have been put through food grinder and beat until thick enough to spread.

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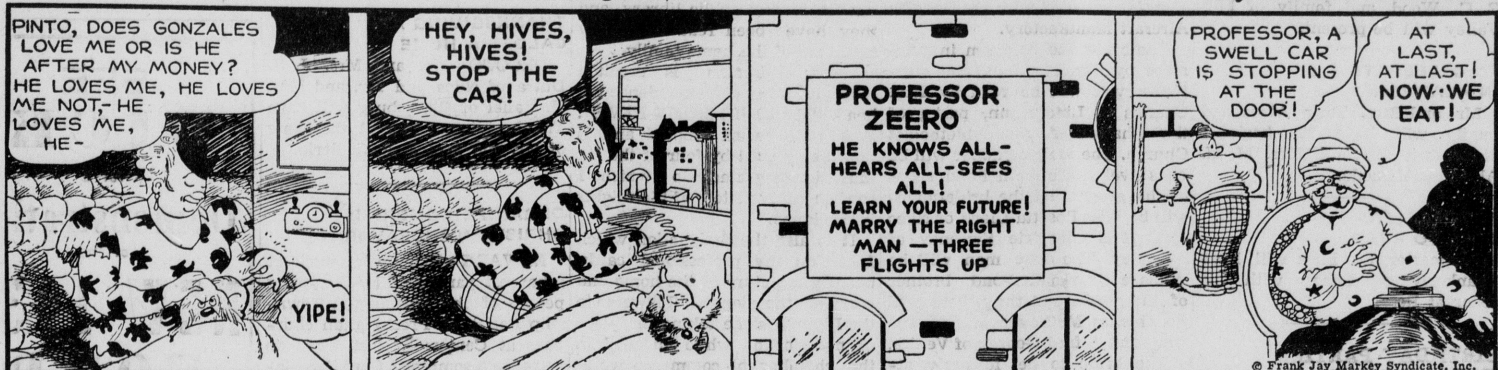
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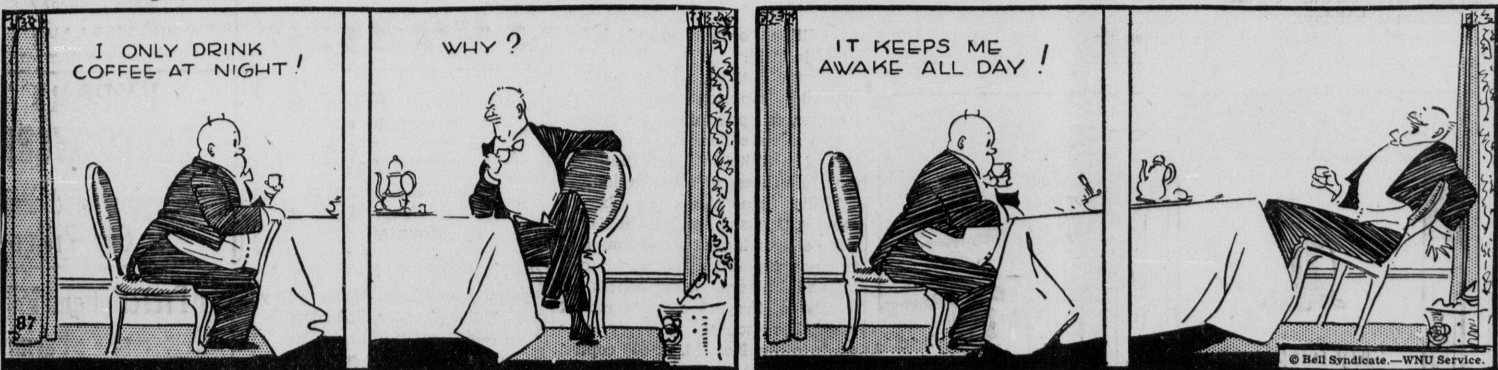
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And Now What Were You Saying, Pa?



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## WEATHER AND CLOTHES: CHANGEABLE

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



## WEATHER FORECAST

Scientist—So you have followed the sea all your life! I presume you can easily foretell a gale, can't you?  
Jack Tar—Easy enough, sir. When you hear the captain yelling out 40 orders at once you can make up your mind that it's going ter blow! —Montreal Star.

## In and Out

Harper—Green says he is financially all in.  
Harris—Yes, just told me he's every cent out.  
Understandable  
Boogy—Do you know it's a comfort to have a head like mine?  
Woogy—Yeah, solid comfort. —Chicago Tribune.

## SEZ SHE

Professor's Daughter—Circumstances compel me to decline a marital arrangement with a man of no pecuniary resources.  
Student Suitor—Er—I don't get you.  
Professor's Daughter—That's just what I'm telling you.

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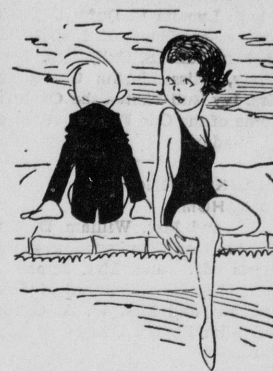


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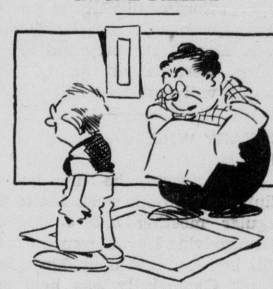
Mrs. Nagg—My week's washing is all done and it didn't cost a cent. I had a man here demonstrating a washing machine.  
Her Husband—That's fine. Do you happen to know of anyone who wants to come around and demonstrate a lawn mower?

## LESS AND LESS



"Do you think the bathing suits are becoming?"  
"Yes. Becoming extinct."

## IN ONE FAMILY



Hubby—There's only one thing I like around this house!  
Wifey (bristling)—Indeed! And what's that?  
Hubby—The yard.

## EASY ENOUGH



"How did you manage to land Billy?"  
"I took him bathing."

## GETS A BAD FALL



She—Women have much more freedom in the modern bathing costume.  
He—And just one look robs a bachelor of his freedom.

## IN THE BACK LOT



"So now, Tom, you can call yourself a gentleman farmer."  
"I don't know yet, Bob."  
"What do you mean? You don't know?"  
"I'm waiting to see how my crops turn out."

## CASE CONTINUED



"Why have you put off your breach of promise suit until fall?"  
"Too warm for summer wear."

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#### The Dodecanese Islands

Best known of the Dodecanese islands is Rhodes, states a writer in the Washington Post. It and 11 other islands were Grecian before the time of Christ, later became semi-independent while Greece was part of Turkey. When Greece won freedom from Turkey in the last century, the Dodecanese were also said to have been freed. Their inhabitants are 95 per cent Greek. But, during the war with Turkey, Italy occupied the islands in 1912. She added the thirteenth island and has held them ever since.

#### Clarice of Latin Origin

Clarice is the French form of Clarisse or Clarissa, of Latin origin and meaning "famous." Considered a bit more modern than Clarissa, it is growing in popularity. Clarissa Wilson, daughter of Betsy Ross, continued the business of making American flags until 1857, her mother having had the contract to make all of them for the government.

#### Changing of Astronomical Day

In 1925 the beginning of the astronomical day was changed from noon to midnight to conform with the civil or ordinary day and be more understandable in almanacs, notes a correspondent in Collier's Weekly.

#### Anatomy and Physiology

Anatomy deals with the structure of the body, physiology with the functions or activities of the living body and its organs.

#### Justice Kept Peace

When the West was wild a newly appointed justice of the peace was determined that the law be observed and peace be maintained, and so, when he saw a fight about to begin, he rushed between the two combatants and, drawing a knife a foot in length, threatened instant death to the man who should violate the public peace.

Hooliganism in London  
Hooliganism is a term derived from the notorious Hooly gang in London's East End around 1900, and implies ruffianism and rowdiness.

#### Peculiarity of a Hurricane

The east side of a hurricane traveling north is more dangerous than the west because in its counter-clockwise movement it is moving faster.

#### Purple Beech, Ornamental Tree

There is a purple beech tree which is a variety of Fagus sylvatica or European beech. It is listed botanically as fagus sylvatica atropurpurea and includes the varieties also listed as atropurpurea, purpurea, and riversi. It has been extensively planted in this country as an ornamental.

#### Origin of Protein

The word "protein," the food which builds and repairs tissues, comes from a Greek word meaning "of the first importance."



## Niles Notes

GUESTS AT  
PETSCH HOME

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Berry of San Francisco will have Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Petsche.

DINNER AT  
AMARAL'S

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard L. Lucio will have Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Amaral at Decoto.

THANKSGIVING  
AT GIUSTI HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stafford of Niles and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rodrigues of San Jose will have Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. C. Giusti.

HAYWARD VISITOR  
AT C. OF C.

N. A. McConaghy of Hayward was a guest at the Chamber of Commerce meeting on Monday.

BIRTHDAYS FOR  
REBEKAHS

Last Friday night was "birthday night" for the Niles Rebekahs with Mrs. Julia Cull, noble grand as hostess. Those honored were Irene Kibby, Lorene Gomes, Julia Cull, Rose Fournier, William Millett, Mary Barnard, Eliza Kennard and Ivy Cull.

REBEKAHS TO HAVE  
FAMILY DINNER

The next regular meeting of the Niles Rebekahs will be held Dec. 2. The business meeting will be preceded by a turkey dinner for members and their families. The committee consists of LaVon Sor-

enson, Margaret Cozzi and Jessie Hockinson. Reservations must be made with the committee by Nov. 29, or with Mrs. Julia Cull or Mrs. Rose Fournier.

FAMILY DINNER  
AT BELVOIR

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Griffin will entertain with a family dinner at the Hotel Belvoir on Thanksgiving Day.

LOCAL BOY HAS  
NEWSPAPER JOB

Jack Townsend, formerly of Niles, has accepted a position on the reporter staff of The San Jose News.

VISIT AT  
GILROY

Mrs. Lucetta B. Duffey, district deputy president of District No. 53, Mrs. Julia S. Cull, Mrs. Irene Kibby, Miss Martha Crane and Mrs. Ivy Cull visited the Orphans' Home of the Odd Fellows at Gilroy on Sunday.

THANKSGIVING AT  
CULL HOME

Mr. and Mrs. William D. Cull will have as Thanksgiving dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. James I. Cull, Mrs. Eliza Kennard of Niles and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Garner and Miss Phyllis Garner of Hayward.

LOCAL COUPLE  
ARE WED

Miss Mary Rodrigues of Niles recently became the bride of Elmer Stafford of this city at a ceremony performed at Mission San Jose. Mrs. J. D. Ferry and Frank Ferry were the attendants. The couple will reside in Niles.

ROTARY WILL  
NOT MEET

No meeting of the Niles Rotary Club was held this week due to the regular meeting date falling on Thanksgiving Day. Clarence Crane will be chairman next Thursday. A Big Game rally was held last Thursday with E. F. Glassbrook and Ed Enos in charge.

TAKES POSITION  
IN POST OFFICE

Mrs. Richard Silva (Catherine Sullivan) has resigned as substitute clerk at the Niles Post Office and Miss Helen Andrade is acting as temporary substitute. A permanent appointment is expected within a few days, according to Postmaster Ed Enos.

SPEND THANKSGIVING  
IN THE SOUTH

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Shinn and Miss Anna Milcent Shinn left Tuesday to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with Lt. and Mrs. Allen Shinn at Coronado.

TO HAVE DINNER  
IN OAKLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Crane will be present at a Thanksgiving dinner in Oakland at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Rice.

FAMILY DINNER  
AT LOGAN'S

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Logan of Cherry Lane will have Thanksgiving dinner at the home of Mrs. Rebecca Logan in Alvarado.

CLUB WOMEN  
AT TEA

Mrs. E. A. Ellsworth, president of the Country Club of Washington Township, attended a reciprocity tea given by the Northbrae Club at the Berkeley Women's City Club on Monday. Mrs. Roland Bendel and Mrs. F. T. Dusterberry were also present.

DINNER AT  
BENDEL HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bendel will entertain with a family dinner on Thanksgiving day. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Butler, Mrs. A. P. Handley of Oakland, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wood and family of Mill Valley will be present.

TO CELEBRATE  
IN ALAMEDA

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Alves and family will have Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Alves in Alameda.

POSTMASTER  
GOES TO ROSS

Postmaster Ed Enos will have Thanksgiving dinner with his sister at Ross.

BIRTHDAY PARTIES  
HONOR MRS. W. T.  
LINDSAY DURING WEEK

NILES—Mrs. W. T. Lindsay was the honoree at two birthday parties last week. The first was a surprise affair planned by her husband and was a turkey dinner at the Lindsay home under the direction of "Bill, himself," assisted by daughter Elizabeth, all the fixings being prepared while the lady of the house was attending the fashion tea at the Castlewood Country Club.

The second was arranged by the Niles Parent Teachers Association of which Mrs. Lindsay is an active member. A birthday cake featured the tea served following Tuesday's meeting by Mrs. Rinaldo Cozzi, Mrs. Harold Houghton, Mrs. Tony Moor and Mrs. George C. Roeding, Jr.

Present at the turkey dinner at the Lindsay home were the following out of town guests, Mrs. Barker Burnell of San Diego, Mr. and Mrs. G. Lyle Crandal and son of Palo Alto, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bemiss, "Bugs" Cain, Miss J. Cooper, Johnny Ackerman, S. Kerley of Oakland.

GOLF TOURNAMENT  
FOR LADIES HELD

The monthly invitational golf tournament for ladies of Castlewood Country Club was held on Nov. 16. The December tournament will be held on Dec. 14, having moved forward on account of Christmas holidays.

Among those in charge are Mrs. Leonard Bernard, Mrs. V. D.

Black, Mrs. H. R. Burke, Mrs. J. W. Robertson, Mrs. George Koshaba, Mrs. W. J. Gray and Mrs. J. H. Hampson.

Gordon Pond Will  
Wed Miss Miriam  
Slater Tomorrow

IRVINGTON — Miss Miriam Jeanne Slater of Oakland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Major Frank Slater, formerly of Washington Township and Mr. Gordon Mathews Pond, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond L. Pond of Irvington, will be married tomorrow night at the Chapel of the Chimes, Piedmont ave., Oakland, at 7:30 o'clock.

An informal reception will be held at the chapel and a wedding supper will be served members of the bridal party and the immediate families at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Burgess of Clarendon Crescent. After a southern honeymoon, the couple will reside at Santa Monica where the groom-elect is connected with the Douglas Aircraft Manufacturing.

The bride will be given in marriage by her father and the nuptial service will be read by Rev. Charles G. Lindemann, pastor of the Shattuck Avenue Methodist Church. The maid of honor will be Miss Evelyn Elizabeth Pond, sister of the groom and the bridesmaids will be Miss Rosetta Clark of Niles and Miss Marjorie Sweeney of Berkeley. The best man will be Wallace Raymond Pond, brother of the groom and the ushers will be Thomas McClaver of Los Angeles and Alfred George of Venice.

The bride to be formerly attended the Washington Union High School where the romance began. She later graduated from the Oakland High School and attended the Merritt School of Business. The groom-elect graduated from the Washington Union High School and the Boeing School of Aeronautics.

RITES HELD FOR  
SEBASTIAN COSTA

NILES — Funeral services for Sebastian Costa, 69, were held by the Berge Mortuary Company parlors of Niles on November 16. Services from the residence on J Street were followed with interment at the Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

The deceased was the husband of Maria Delfina Costa and the father of Barbara Lewis, Victor, Frank and Tony Costa and five grandchildren; the brother of Frank, Antone and Maria of Lisbon, Portugal. He was a member of the U. P. C. of Niles and the Voice of Portugal.

BIRTHDAYS ARE  
CELEBRATED

DECOTO — Cyrus and Chester Caldeira, sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Caldeira, both of whom have birthdays in November, celebrated jointly at a party attended by 50 children and their parents at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Dutra, their grandparents, at Niles. The children enjoyed games and the grown-ups played cards, after which refreshments were served.

Appreciation Given  
By Masonic Scribe  
For Publicity Aids

During my nearly four years as a member of the Masonic Home family I have been shown many courtesies by the publishers of the Township Register at Niles and the Journal at Hayward in my effort of being of some service in the matter of publicity of the activities of the home, for which I wish to express my appreciation and thanks.

And at the same to the Niles Junior Chamber of Commerce and several individuals of the Niles and Hayward communities.

In Niles the news service was started in the Register while Norman Parks was the publisher. It was continued during the ownership of Henry Alderman, and since that time by J. Boyce Smith, the present publisher.

During these years, by permission of Supt. Hartman, I have kept copies of each of the newspapers on file in our public library, and they have been read by many members of the home family.

Henry Alderman is credited with giving my correspondence the head, "MASONIC HOME NEWS". It was afterward adopted and is now being used by four of the six Masonic magazines to which I send monthly letters of high lights in the home.

It is also the designation which I use on my professional cards, bearing a picture of the home and carrying the slogan, "Flowers to the Living," same taking the place of my slogan while engaged in the chamber of commerce work, "down south", to wit "Community Building Through Publicity."

In the fall of 1936, with the assistance of Lawrence W. Sharpe, secretary of the Niles Junior Chamber of Commerce, I issued a grand lodge edition of the "Masonic Home News", featuring the annual visitation of grand lodge week, the excursion, complimentary by the grand lodge, numbering over 1000. It was a two page affair of 200 copies gotten out by the genial junior chamber of commerce secretary on the chamber's mimeograph press. The edition was kindly received.

Gratuitous distribution was made to members of the home family. The cost to me, plus round trip car fares between the home and the Niles grammar school, was for blank sheets of good paper, stencils, ink and a few other essentials. As for the junior chamber of commerce it was paid with a formal letter of thanks.

The closing paragraph of that maiden paper related to the generous offer of E. D. Bristow, principal of the Niles Elementary school, who had been contacted by Secretary Sharpe and myself for the press work on the next edition, remarked Mr. Bristow, then serving his fifteenth year as head of the Niles school.

Twelve months passed on. Old Man Bad Heath intervening "The Editor" was not able to get out an edition for the grand lodge week in 1937.

But for 1938 he rang the bell—with the important aid of Mr. Bristow, in spite of his additional duties in connection with the erection of a \$150,000 school building now in process of construction.

While three times the size of the No. 1 issue, and embellished with a drawing of the home and tracings of emblems of the Masonic and Eastern Star orders by pupils in the art department of the Niles school, delivery was made to me, Nov. 18, of 400 copies. And the cost to me was for bus fare only. In other words Mr. Bristow furnished everything and footed the bills.

It is cooperation of the foregoing sort which makes for cheer in the life of a fellow with an honest desire, and without thought of financial reward, to well and truly exemplify the slogan, "Flowers to the Living." In my 50 years in newspaper work I have had ample opportunity of noting the wonderful far reaching power of "the printed word." So that I feel that the free distribution of these 400 copies of the "News" will bring pleasure to at least some of the members of the home and the employees.

Good citizen-Rotarian that he is, Mr. Bristow furnishes a splendid illustration of his desire to lend a helping hand to the fellow man in all worthy endeavor.

James H. Heath  
Masonic Home,  
Decoto, California  
Nov. 22, 1938.

FIRE DEPARTMENT  
LEADERS TRAINED

CENTERVILLE—The first of a series of instructor meetings for leaders of the fire departments of the township was held at Centerville Monday night with Tom Ward, instructor of fire training for the State Department of Education, in charge.

Six other sessions will be held, the next to take place on Tuesday night and on five successive Tuesday evenings beginning at 7 o'clock. Two representatives of each department are eligible. When the course is completed, these who have received instruction will conduct classes in the respective departments.

Among those who were present Monday night were Joseph Pashote, L. Costa, L. Calderia of Newark, Joe Corey and Bill Hirsch of Irvington, Tony Alves and Lawrence Avilla of Niles, Roland Bendel and M. Garcia of Decoto, Matt Whitfield and A. Steinmetz of Mission San Jose and Frank Madruga and George Mathiesen of Centerville.

THANKSGIVING AT  
CALDERIA HOME

DECOTO—Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Dutra of Niles and Mr. and Mrs. H. Balie of Clarksburg will have Thanksgiving dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Calderia.

ORGANIZE COMBINED  
CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR

NEWARK—Plans were made at a harvest party held by the young people of the Washington Township Parish of Presbyterian churches at Centerville last week to organize a combined Christian Endeavor for the four churches.

Meetings will be held at the Centerville church each Sunday night at 6 o'clock. Once a month a consecration service will be held alternately in the other churches.

Until new officers can be selected, leaders of the individual groups which have been meeting separately will have charge. They are Lyle Fisher of Irvington and Lois Blacow and Peter Stark of Newark.

**First Plows of Tree Branches**  
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(A MOVIE QUIZ PICTURE)  
Also Kay Francis and George Brent in  
"SECRETS OF AN ACTRESS"  
(A MOVIE QUIZ PICTURE)

Wed. and Thurs., Nov. 30 Dec. 1  
"Four Daughters"  
(A MOVIE QUIZ PICTURE)  
with Priscilla Lane, Rosemary Lane, Lola Lane and Gale Page

WILL LOOK IN ON  
CLUB MEETING

Several business and professional women of Washington Township are planning to attend a joint meeting of the Hayward and Livermore Business and Professional Women's Club at the Dublin Hotel next Tuesday night. Dinner will be served at 7 o'clock. All those who are interested are invited to be present, reservations to be made not later than Monday at the Dublin Hotel.

Organization of a club in the township has been discussed for some time.

WILL DISCUSS JUNIOR  
COLLEGE PLANS

NILES—George C. Roeding, Jr., chairman of the public relations committee of the Southern Alameda County Junior College project, will be host at luncheon at the Old Adobe at the California Nursery Company next Tuesday. Representatives of various communities in the southern end of the county have been invited to discuss plans for an educational campaign for the proposed college.

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